

# Court Hears Fuchs' Confession Of Spying; Sends Him To Trial

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### Rescuers May Use 'Copter

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (CP) — A ground rescue party today inched its way up a jagged Yukon mountain peak to the aid of 10 stranded fliers who have spent three days and nights in suz-zero weather since their search plane crashed Tuesday.

They were participating in North America's greatest air search — a hunt for a United States Air Force transport with 44 persons aboard — at the time of the crash.

Tending the marooned fliers were five para-rescue men, one of them a doctor. They jumped from an R.C.A.F. Dakota late Thursday and landed 300 yards from the wreck.

Two helicopters stood by on a landing strip 15 miles away and 7,000 feet below the bleak, snow-covered mountain. A double air and ground rescue may be necessary to bring the men from their chilly perch. Three of them — Americans — have broken limbs, while the Canadians, members of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, are uninjured. The ground party, composed of Canadian and U.S. soldiers, began its hazardous trek up the steep, rocky peak in four weasels, caterpillar-tracked vehicles. When three broke down, they continued in the other, but were forced to camp on the slope Thursday night.

#### FIRST THERE

They were probably the first men ever to set foot in the desolate mountains. If possible, they will evacuate the five para-rescue men and the stranded fliers by weasels. However, an air evacuation with the helicopters may be necessary.

Such an evacuation would mean hauling the men one-by-one into the hovering helicopter, then transferring them to trucks at the landing strip at Pon Lake on the Alaska Highway.

#### Says 205 Reds Busy

WHEELING, W.Va. (AP) — Senator Joseph McCarthy (Rep.-Wis.) charged in an address here Thursday that 205 Communist Party members are "working and shaping policy in the State Department." He did not list them, but said they "were known to the Secretary of State."

### Two G.I.'s In Austria Sold Kidnap Services To Soviet

VIENNA, Austria (UP) — Two young U.S. soldiers sold their services to the Russians by kidnapping a former German war prisoner and turning him over to Soviet authorities. U.S. Army headquarters announced today.

The soldiers were identified as Sgt. John Frankey, 26, of Brockton, Mass., and Corp. Paul Abel, 29, of Bolivar, Mo., members of

#### Santa Anita Scratches

First race — *Laurinda*, Reno's Secret, Foredark, Miss. Fiction. Second race — *Sally Goodin*, Gipsy Joe, Teal, Free Ticket. Third race — Timekeeper, Sly One. Eighth race — Full House. Weather raining, track fast.



#### Freakish Landslide

#### Endangers House

BUCKED BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD TRACKS. A family of four, asleep in the house when the slide occurred, was aroused by water department employees who were repairing a leaky water main nearby. (NEA Telephoto)

### Legal Doubt Cast On Four Lewis Demands

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal court decision cast doubt on the legality of four of John L. Lewis' contract demands, and a top official expressed hope this might speed an agreement ending the United States soft-coal strike.

Robert Denham, general counsel of the National Labor Relations Board, said the ruling by Federal Judge Richmond B. Keech might narrow the area of disagreement between the United Mine Workers' president and the coal operators.

Some sources suggested, however, that by stiffening the miners' resistance it might have just the opposite effect. Judge Keech agreed late Thurs-

#### Little Protection

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (BUP) — Topped by their traditional little round hats, three members of the Royal Canadian Navy arrived at Exercise Sweetbriar headquarters here Thursday.

Uniformed Americans and Canadians alike chuckled when the sailors clung to their dinky little toppers despite the stinging 44 degrees below zero cold.

### U.S. Railways Rush To Obey Order For Slashing Services

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Coal-burning railroads in the United States rushed today to comply with Interstate Commerce Commission orders to slash service tonight because of dwindling coal stocks.

Hundreds of trains will be taken out of service at 11:59 p.m. local time. That will mean unemployment for an estimated number of railroad workers. Several thousand railroad employees already have been laid off.

Unemployment in other industries will skyrocket within the next three weeks unless John L. Lewis' striking coal miners go back to the pits.

In addition to the 370,000 soft-coal diggers who are striking, at least 35,000 other workers in allied industries have been laid off because of coal shortages.

The army said the soldiers, the first U.S. servicemen here to be charged with selling their services to the Russians, operated in a large Soviet-controlled smuggling and kidnapping ring broken up by American authorities last month.

The army said the soldiers confessed they had kidnapped Eder only because the Russians paid them 7,000 Austrian schillings (\$250).

Eder was taken in the British sector of Vienna on Nov. 11 and turned over to the Russians in the Soviet sector of Austria.

They were paid on delivery, the soldiers confessed.

### Canada Wants Early Peace With Japan Says Pearson

OTTAWA (BUP) — Canada wants a peace treaty with Japan as soon as possible, External Affairs Minister Lester B. Pearson said today.

Pearson told a press conference that Gen. Douglas MacArthur had agreed with the view that the occupation should end as soon as it was possible to reach

international agreement on peace terms for Japan.

The minister, just back from a 38-day tour of Asia, said that part of the world was becoming the centre of gravity of world affairs. Canada, he said, would take steps immediately to foster closer trade and economic ties with non-Communist Asia.

### Flood Threats Mount

VANCOUVER (BUP) — A mounting flood threat plagued parts of British Columbia today as heavy rains and melting snow fed mountain streams and rivers.

The weather bureau forecast a continuation of the mild weather that had thawed snow in the hills and sent water running down hills in deep rivulets.

Meanwhile, a fresh storm, building up behind one that lashed the coast overnight with gales up to 50 miles an hour, sent small coastal vessels scurrying for shelter.

Residents of the Fraser Valley, centre of most of the province's fruit-growing activity, anxiously watched river banks and levees. The public weather office in Vancouver said there was no indication of a return of bitterly cold weather that had left highways on the Lower Mainland covered with ice for several weeks.

### Argentine Envoy Would Boost Trade

OTTAWA (BUP) — Dr. Augustin Nores Martinez, new Argentine Ambassador to Canada, said today he hoped to boost his country's flagging trade with Canada but conceded it might take a long time.

Martinez said one of his first jobs in Ottawa would be to start negotiations to bring about a healthier trade between the two countries.

It was announced earlier this week that the Economic Co-operation Administration had given Britain \$12,500,000 to buy more lumber in Canada and the United States under the Marshall Plan.

He said he had launched into the project fully realizing that with Argentina presently short of U.S. dollars with which to pay its bills, the results of such a drive could not be realized overnight.

### Congress May Back Truman Stand On Atomic Control

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman found some solid backing in Congress today for his statement that a little cooperation from Russia is all that's needed to set up effective world atomic controls.

Truman made clear at a press conference Thursday that he isn't budging from the Baruch plan for control through international atomic inspection.

Russia has refused to accept the plan's provision for inspection of atomic projects.

The President endorsed State Secretary Dean Acheson's stand that Russia keeps agreements only when forced to by existing conditions. The President also made it plain he intends to disregard a proposal made by Senator Brien McMahon (Dem.-Conn.) that the United States spend \$50,000,000,000 on a five-year economic aid plan.

As outlined by the senator, such aid would be open to Russia if she agreed to effective atomic controls and shifted two-thirds of her arms expenditure into peaceful channels.

The President also rejected a plea by Senator Millard Tydings (Dem.-Md.) for a call for a world disarmament conference.

Truman said disarmament is linked to atomic controls. If an atomic agreement could be reached, he said, disarmament probably would follow swiftly.



Set Free

Mrs. Margaret Russell, 88-year-old \$75-a-month pensioner, looks an attentive ear to proceedings at Municipal Court in Oakland, Calif., where she appeared on charges of "stealing" two cubes of butter valued at 38 cents. The charges were dropped and she got a \$300 settlement. (NEA Photo)



Loses His Post

Harold F. Ambrose (above), \$10,000-a-year special assistant to U.S. Postmaster-General Jesse M. Donaldson, has been forced to resign because of postage stamp deals with speculators. Donaldson said that positively no post office department funds or actual stamps were involved, in the bizarre scheme, under which Ambrose paid off his first "investors" with sums received from later "clients."

### U.S. Commissioner In Germany Says Red Moves Blocked

BERLIN (BUP) — U.S. High Commissioner John J. McCloy said today the Communists would be blocked in their threatened attempt to take west Berlin "by storm."

He also promised counter-measures would be taken against the on-and-off Russian blockade of Berlin traffic on the superhighway at Helmstedt, where 150 trucks going in both directions were piled up by mid-morning.

Responding to questions at a crowded press conference at the High Commissioner's headquarters here, McCloy said:

"I do not know what is in the minds of the Communists, but they definitely will not seize west Berlin."

McCloy, who arrived in Berlin by rail this morning from his Frankfurt headquarters to confer with American Berlin Commandant Maj. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, made his statement amid reports the Russians already had backed down on plans to seize west Berlin with the aid of German Communist police. (A date late in May had been mentioned for a march of 500,000 from the Russian zone of Germany.)

Charles Dix, U.S. Transport Chief, said there were 70 Berlin-bound trucks and 80 westbound trucks waiting for clearance at Helmstedt. Thursday night the backlog was only 40 trucks.

### Three Doukhobors Free On Combined Bail Of \$60,000

NELSON (BUP) — Three Sons of Freedom Doukhobors were out on combined bail of \$60,000 here today pending hearing of charges against them.

Four others remained in jail, including two top radical leaders.

Out on bail were John Lebedoff, self-styled leader of 5,000 Sons of Freedom in the Krestova district. The \$50,000 bail for Lebedoff was post last week. The two others were William J. Perpelkin and Peter Malakoff, both of Krestova, both free on \$5,000 bail each.

Lebedoff, Michael "The Archangel" Verigin, and Joe Podolnikoff were arrested about two weeks ago on 10 charges covering five years of Doukhobor unrest. Bail of \$50,000 was set for each, but only Lebedoff has been able to raise bail money.

### Weather Forecast

Overcast with scattered showers today and Saturday; remaining mild. Easterly winds, 20 m.p.h., shifting to westerly, 20 by early afternoon. Low tonight, 26; high Friday, 45.

### Scientist Who Sold Secrets To Russia Political Fanatic

LONDON (CP) — Klaus Fuchs, brilliant German-born British scientist who confessed giving vital atomic secrets to Russia, today was committed for trial. He faces a maximum of 14 years in prison if convicted on two charges of violating the Official Secrets Act.

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The Bow Street court ordered 38-year-old Fuchs held for formal trial in Old Bailey criminal court at the session beginning Feb. 28.

Fuchs accepted £100 (then \$400) in 1946 "as a symbolic payment signifying his subservience to the cause of world communism," a Crown witness told the court.

Fuchs, a wartime refugee from the Nazis, was labelled by prosecutor Christmas Humphreys a "political fanatic on the payroll of a foreign power."

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into two compartments. One permitted him to carry on agreeable contacts with those around him at the Harwell atom plant. The other established him as a person completely independent of the forces of society.

Fuchs was the leading atomic researcher during the war at Harwell, Britain's atomic establishment, and was head of the theoretical physics branch, the heart of atomic science. In the United States there were indications he had access to the most vital of information, including probably the hydrogen bomb.

### Several Visits To Canada

He also made several visits to Canada during his U.S. stay, revisiting the country in which he had been interned for a time by Britain after he had escaped Nazi Germany.

At the hearing before Magistrate Sir Laurence Dunne, security officer William James Skardon testified Fuchs signed a statement when he was questioned at the Harwell plant on his arrest last week.

Fuchs was said to have asserted that when he learned the kind of work he was to do in Britain, he had no hesitation in giving all the information I had.

"I believed deliberately the Western Allies allowed Germany and Russia to fight each other to the death. I tried to concentrate on giving the results of my own work."

"I used my Marrian philosophy to conceal my thoughts, which had to be separated into two compartments. One side was the man I wanted to be. I could be free and easy and happy with other people without fear or discrediting myself because I knew the other compartment would step in if I reached a danger point."

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He approached a security officer at Harwell.

His 75-year-old father in Germany had been offered a seat at Leipzig University in the Russian zone.

The Fuchs' statement said in view of the delicacy of his work he asked security officers at Harwell whether he should resign since his father was being transferred to the Russian zone.

This disclosure gave authorities in Germany an excuse to question his father thoroughly.

When Fuchs later was questioned about his own activities, Humphreys said he at first denied any acts of impropriety.

"But," said Humphreys, "it was obvious that he was moving toward a mental crisis and in his own words he 'suddenly decided to answer any question.'

#### Quit Oil Drilling

KARACHI, Pakistan (Reuter) — Oil drillers today decided to abandon the £1,000,000 (\$3,100,000) test well at Lakhra in the Sind desert — the deepest in southeast Asia. They have been drilling for almost two years and have reached a depth of 12,664 feet without success.

#### Lucky Escape

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The United States Navy reported that a fighter plane crashed Thursday during a takeoff from the aircraft carrier Boxer. The pilot escaped the churning propellers, bobbed to the surface behind the ship, and was picked up.

#### Nova Scotia Session

HALIFAX (CP) — Political sources predicted today an early March opening date for the Nova Scotia Legislature will be announced.

Weather cloudy, track slow.

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"Since that time I have had continuous contact with persons completely unknown to me except that they would give information to the Russians," the statement said.

"At this time I had complete confidence in the Russian policy and I had no hesitation in giving all the information I had."

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### Still Believed In Russia

"In the postwar period I had doubts about Russian policy. Eventually I came to the point when I knew I disapproved of many of the actions of Russian policy. I still believed that Russia would build a new world and that I would take part in it."

"During this time I was not sure I could give all the information I had. However, it became more and more evident that Russia would spread her influence over Europe. I had to decide whether I could continue to hand over information without being sure I was doing right. I decided I could not do so."

The prosecution gave the court a story of Fuchs as a brilliant youth in Germany who was an underground Communist agent since 1932 in Berlin.

### Striking Miners Resort To Violence In Two States

PITTSBURGH (UP)—Violence broke out at coal mines in two states today as striking miners or sympathizers turned to dynamite and the stoning of equipment.

The miners, determined to stay out until John L. Lewis issues a direct back-to-work order, picketed non-union mines in an effort to force a complete shutdown.

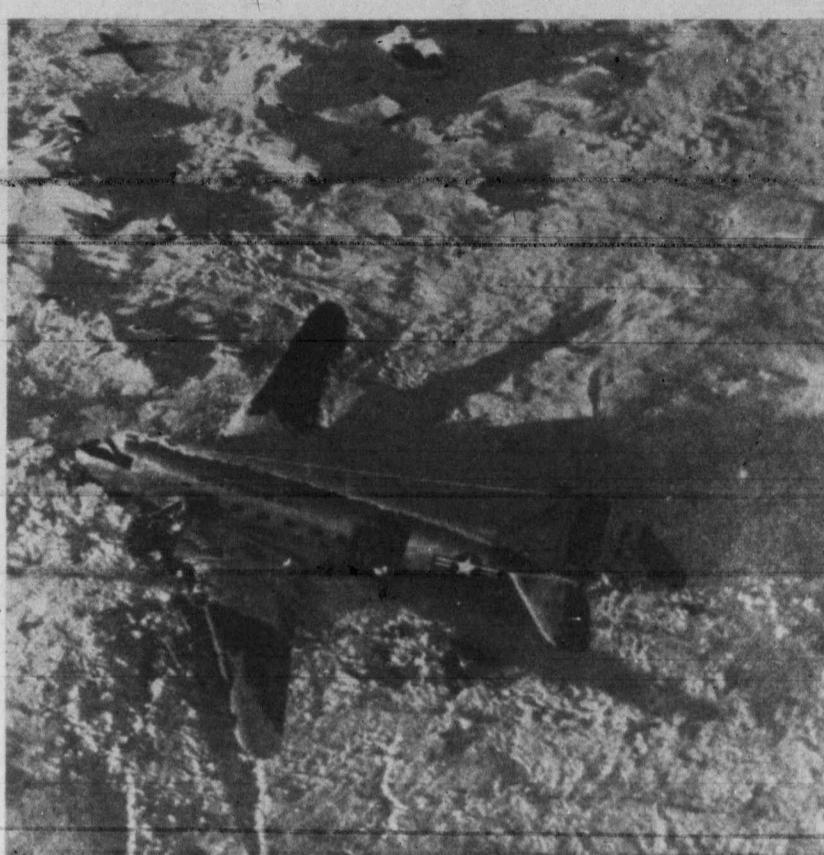
A power shovel at a strip mine near New Philadelphia, O., was blasted with dynamite. A roving band of 200 pickets raided a mine near Brookville, Pa., stoning

### Canada Acting To Boost Immigration

OTTAWA (BUP)—The Canadian government took the first of a series of steps Friday to bolster flagging immigration into this country from Britain and other European countries.

Citizenship and Immigration Minister Walter Harris announced that A. L. Joliffe, Director of Immigration since 1944, had been named a special assistant to Deputy Minister Laval Fortier.

Joliffe's first task would be to investigate Canada's current immigration plan and to make recommendations on how to correct any faults in it, Fortier said.



Goal of Rescue Party on Yukon Mountain

At an altitude of 7,000 feet, far above the timberline, a U.S. pilot brought this Dakota search plane down in an emergency landing while hunting for a missing C-54. Only three of the 10 aboard were hurt. Skid marks of wheels may be seen in snow under left wing; remains of first camp fire in

plane's shelter are near open door; near top is rough cross made from plane equipment to attract searchers' attention and short distance to left crew members huddle around second camp fire in shelter of huge snowdrift. It may be necessary for rescue party to use helicopters to bring men out.

### Radio Contact Broken With Fliers Stranded On Northern Mountain

#### To Film Opening

For the first time in history, a newsreel camera will record the opening of the Legislature here Tuesday afternoon with the main scenes covering the installation of Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A. as Speaker, it was announced today by Ernest Belton, representative of the National Film Board.

Newsreel camera units will take preliminary films of Mrs. Hodges at her home, 2019 Runnymede Avenue, on Monday morning at 10. These will be used as a background for the first woman Speaker in the British Empire.

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WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (BUP)—Search officers had lost radio contact today with survivors of a crashed search plane near the top of a 7,200-foot Yukon mountain and also with a ground rescue party fighting its way to the scene.

A U.S. Air Force B-17 left here in an attempt to pick up radio signals from either the survivors or ground party—or both.

It was believed a radio dropped to the survivors earlier had broken.

#### NOT IN DANGER

The survivors, three suffering fractures of limbs but the others uninjured, were not believed in danger, however. They were receiving aid from a six-man Canadian-U.S. para-rescue team which parachuted to the mountain slope Thursday. Among them was a doctor.

Position of the 12-man Canadian-U.S. ground party was not known today. When last reported, it was continuing its arduous trek through dense brush and heavy snow with aid of "weasel" snow tractors.

The group of experienced mountain climbers was expected to be nearing the base of the unnamed mountain of the Ruby Range, 85 miles west of here, where the five American and five Canadian survivors were stranded.

They crash-landed their C-47 search plane on the snowy slopes above the tree-line at the 7,000-foot level Tuesday while participating in the now 15-day-old hunt for the missing C-54 U.S. Air Force transport and the 44 persons who were aboard it.

Two Helicopters, capable of carrying two survivors each, were at the Pon Lake airstrip, 15 miles from the C-47 crash scene, but would need better weather to do the job of evacuating the survivors.

Light snow and heavy overcast had closed in over a large area of the southern Yukon, re-

suming the international search for the C-54 to its smallest proportions to date.

Only three planes, all of them four-engined C-54s, got off the ground today as the overcast cut visibility to the danger point over the mountainous Yukon.

#### Lawyer Urged For 'Big Mo' Navigator Interested Party'

NORFOLK, Va. (AP)—A naval court of inquiry said today it doubts the "competency" of the battleship Missouri's assistant navigator as a witness and as a naval officer.

The court immediately designated the officer, 23-year-old Ensign E. R. Harris of Norfolk, as "an interested party" in the proceedings, and advised him to retain counsel.

The statement concerning the court's doubt was made by Rear-Admiral Milton E. Miles, senior member of the court which is investigating the grounding of the "Big Mo" in Chesapeake Bay Jan. 17.

Harris was plotting the Missouri's course when she ran aground.

Defendants before the court are the ship's skipper, operations officer and navigator. They are: Capt. William D. Brown, Cmdr. John R. Millett and Lt.-Cmdr. Frank G. Morris.

Harris testified Thursday his only previous experience in piloting ship under way was during the Missouri's Dec. 22-23 trial run off the Virginia Capes.

### 'They Called Him Baby Face'

A tiny boy who learned to use his fists in protecting his newspaper pitch on the tough Vancouver waterfront, later became welterweight champion of the world, and Canada's greatest hero of the ring.

He was Jimmy (Baby Face) McLarnin, son of an Irish emigrant. In an amazing career, he met 14 world champions, and retired from the ring at 30 after earning over \$700,000.

McLarnin has unfolded many of his experiences to Harry Young of the Times staff, and these are being told in a new series of articles, "They Called Him Baby Face," which begins in the Victoria Times magazine tomorrow.



JIMMY McLARNIN

SIAMESE TWINS GROW  
TOFIELD, Alta. (CP)—Brenda and Beverly Townsend, Tofield's Siamese twins, have gained eight pounds and 14 ounces since birth, it was learned today. They will be three months old next week. The twins weighed nine pounds 12 ounces at birth, and now weigh 18 pounds 10 ounces.

## Railwaymen Want Government Sweep

### Drops Blood Tests

Dr. E. L. McNiven today said he was not going to take any more blood tests of motorists for sobriety "until I get the support of the City Council and the police commission."

He made this statement in city police court during a drunken driving trial. Dr. McNiven said the man charged had consented to a blood test, but he had refused to make it on learning he had been "left alone" on the matter by the council and police board.

### Pearson Warns Of Red Asia

A government-organized sweepstakes to finance public hospitals was advocated again today.

Representatives from labor organizations of all railways operating in B.C. asked the provincial cabinet to give serious consideration to the proposal.

They pointed out proper hospital services are not available to large numbers of taxpayers who are paying hospital insurance premiums because of "a deplorable shortage of hospital accommodation."

At the same time, the railwaymen continued, the government is collecting large sums of money from legalized racetracks as a percentage of bets on horse racing.

"After consideration of successful hospital sweepstakes in other countries, we urge the government to take further steps to divert such gambling expenditures—or wagers—into a direct channel toward provision of proper hospital accommodation for all citizens by the organization and operation of a government sweepstakes," they stated.

#### OPPOSE PRIVATE SWEEPSTAKES

The railwaymen made clear they were opposed to operation of drawings and sweepstakes by any private or other public organizations in the name of charity.

"We are convinced," they said, "that one major drawing, properly conducted by the government, will provide outlet for the major gambling or wagering instincts."

"And we believe such a channeling of this instinct into a legitimate and worthy cause that concerns the health and welfare of all our population cannot be successfully classed as immoral."

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### Thieves Enter Six Premises Get \$4, Chocolate Bars

Burglars smashed their way into six city business establishments during the night, but a few chocolate bars and \$4 in coins were all they got.

At other point during the press conference, Mr. Pearson said:

1. He will be making a statement to the Commons on his trip as soon as suitable occasion presents itself following the opening of the session next Thursday, Feb. 16.

2. He will discuss with the cabinet the question of Canadian recognition of the Communist government of China.

3. At Colombo and in Tokyo he had found no disagreement with Canada's feeling that the sooner a peace treaty is concluded with Japan the better.

4. Delegates at Colombo realized that Canada's aid to Asia would have to be considered in the light of commitments already made under such things as the North Atlantic Treaty.

5. Canadian representatives were impressed by the long-range possibilities of increased trade with the Far East and with the short-term difficulties in the way of such trade.

The burglars broke into four northside Fort Street stores between Douglas and Lansdowne Streets.

These were Page Pictorial Realty, Model Cleaners, Gibson's

Studios and the Countess de Charny chocolate shop, addresses 766 to 774.

No money was lost as there was none left in the premises.

At the candy shop chocolates were scattered about. An alarm clock was smashed on the floor. It had stopped at 11:45, indicating the time of the robbery. Paper matches were used by the burglars in their search of the Gibson store.

Sixth place entered was the Royal Dairy on View Street. It was ransacked, but nothing was reported missing.

### Negotiations Only Way To Prevent War, Lie Declares

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y. (UPI)—United Nations' secretary-general Trygve Lie warned the world today that "persistent negotiation and conciliation is the only way to prevent a third world war."

He told a news conference that the "people of all countries... know that the United Nations stands between them and destruction."

"I believe they will insist," he said, "that all governments, by word and action, uphold the U.N. and use it for the great purposes for which it was established—the prevention of war and the creation of peace."

He declined to comment on statements on relations between the United States and Russia made this week by President Truman and Secretary of State Dean Acheson. He also refused to comment on the proposal made by Senator Millard Tydings (D-Del.) for the calling of a world disarmament conference.

He read a formal statement which correspondents interpreted as "powerful bid" to intervene in the current tense situation between Moscow and Washington and as a rebuke to any who think war is inevitable.

### Rocket 51 Miles Up

WASHINGTON (AP)—The U.S. Navy said today that a Viking rocket fired Thursday at White Sands, N.M., reached an altitude of 51 miles. An officer said it could have climbed higher, but the ascent was cut off from ground controls when the rocket began veering slightly off the proving ground.

BUCKFIELD Fertilizer

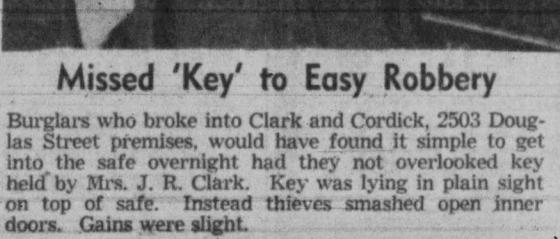
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Missed 'Key' to Easy Robbery

Burglars who broke into Clark and Cordick, 2503 Douglas Street premises, would have found it simple to get into the safe overnight had they not overlooked key held by Mrs. J. R. Clark. Key was lying in plain sight on top of safe. Instead thieves smashed open inner doors. Gains were slight.

## One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

### ABOUT THIS AND THAT

OUR CURRENT—and seemingly continuing—preoccupation with the problem of how to deal with motorists who persist in combining alcohol and gasoline lends a timely and topical flavor to a case which came before an Ohio court a short time ago.

The judge sentenced a drunken driver who had knocked down and seriously injured a pedestrian to spend as much time in jail as his victim spent in hospital. Such a sentence is a novel one, and I don't know that it would be possible in this country where the law prescribes the penalties for such offences in terms which usually brook of little variation.

### PAINLESS PERIOD

BUT THERE SEEMS to be some merit in the idea that judge had in mind. If, as it was evidently proven in this particular case, a drunken driver can "sentence" an innocent pedestrian to an indeterminate period of pain and suffering—plus expense—in hospital, it shouldn't be unreasonable to punish the miscreant by sentencing him to a similar period—but free of pain and also free of charge—in prison.

To some people, who have never had a loved one fall victim to such a driver, or who lack the imagination to picture the human suffering as well as economic stress that follows in the wake of such accidents, the Ohio judge's sentence may sound too much like a reprisal, too reminiscent of the old Mosaic law of "an eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth."

### STERNER MEASURES

BUT TO ANYONE reading the newspapers, it must be patent that warnings and admonitions, reiterated again and again by those in authority, seem of little avail, judging by the growing roster of accidents attributed to drunken driving.

And as long as the punishment for the offence remains as mild as it is, there won't be much improvement. So, the imposition of one or two sentences patterned on that Ohio court's might shock some individuals into remaining sober—at least, while they are at the wheel—and have a deterrent effect on others.

### STRIKE FOR PEACE

I HAVE HEARD some novel ideas for promoting peace in the world, but one put forward by a woman member in the U.S. House of Representatives not very long ago is, in my estimation, one of the most intriguing. It is that the women of the world declare a strike on war. In theory, her idea sounds fine and I wish it were possible. Alas! It's another thing to put such a plan into practice.

Probably the lady in question was inspired by the story of Lysistrata, the comedy written by Aristophanes, the Greek dramatist, about 400 B.C. When war broke out between the Greek states of Athens and Sparta, Lysistrata persuaded the mothers of Athens to desert their husbands and boycott their homes until peace was restored. It proved effective, too—in the play.

### STRIKE TO SOVIET

BUT WOMEN then and women now are two different things—and so is war. However, the U.S. advocates suggest that as a first step to rally potential "strikers," the women of the United States should give a statue of peace and brotherhood to the women of Russia. "Surely the government of the Soviet Union would not refuse to allow the entry and acceptance of such a gift," she told the U.S. House.

My guess is that this would be vetoed as promptly as other equally well meant overtures designed to promote peace have been in the past. And even if the American statue ever did manage to get through the Iron Curtain, the chances are that the statue which left the U.S. as a symbol of peace and brotherhood would, by the time the Russian women saw it, have undergone a remarkable transformation and become, instead, a monument to the Communist hierarchy and all that it stands for.

## Prayer Meeting, Started 32 Hours Ago, Still Going

WHEATON, Ill. (AP)—A spontaneous religious student revival which started Wednesday night at little Wheaton College had developed into a marathon prayer meeting.

Some 1,500 students and 110 faculty members of the non-sectarian Fundamentalist Protestant School joined in the prayer service. They jammed the Pierce Memorial Chapel for more than 32 consecutive hours.

Some 500 remained during the early morning hours and there was no indication of an immediate breakup. No classes were held Thursday and there probably will be none today.

Nearly all of the students had stepped up to the pulpit at least once and confessed their sins and

testified that the spirit of the Lord had cleansed their souls.

Gil Dods, the famous miler who quit the track to preach the Gospel and teach track at the 97-year-old college, was reported away from the campus.

The revival started unexpectedly Wednesday night during one of the regular semi-annual week-long evangelistic services at the college.

Rev. Edwin S. Johnson, Seattle evangelist, was to have addressed the students. It was 26 hours later that he did address the students. Before introducing him, Dr. V. Raymond Edman, president of the college, asked if there were any students whose testimony could not wait.

Ten students walked to the pulpit. After they finished, others crowded into the aisles and the marathon prayer session had started.

Guests were Ed Whyte of No. 38 Toastmasters, secretary-treasurer of District No. 21; George Pears of Toastmasters No. 396, who was guest critic for the evening; J. B. Preistly of the city, and B. Metcalfe of Lethbridge.

Jack Gillis was toastmaster and Bruce McLean was topic master at the meeting, held at Strathcona Hotel.

The meeting, open to the public, will begin at 8:15.

### CAMOSUN TOASTMASTERS

A contest between Jim Bone and John Coates to break the tie of the last week's Camosun Toastmasters' Club, to see which one would take second place in the forthcoming city clubs contest, was won by Jim Bone by a small margin.

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## Chemainus Opposes Proposal To Reduce Hospital Facilities

CHEMAINUS—North Cowichan Municipal Council and Chemainus and District Chamber of Commerce will strongly oppose any plan of the provincial government to reduce facilities provided by Chemainus General Hospital.

In a letter to Health Minister George S. Pearson, the council and chamber voiced their disapproval of a recommendation that facilities at the hospital be reduced to a 20-bed community clinic and eventually be limited to a clinic with no beds. This would make the community dependent upon Duncan for hospital accommodation.

### TAXED TO CAPACITY

The letter points out that the existing 33 beds in the hospital frequently are taxed to capacity.

"The prospect of being entirely without a hospital nearer than Duncan fills our residents with dismay," says the letter. "Certainly the prospect of severely injured or dangerously ill patients having to travel 12 or 13 miles to hospital is one that surely cannot be contemplated with satisfaction, and added inconvenience and expense to relatives and others visiting the sick cannot be overlooked."

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## Twenty Modern Homes in Saanich for Elderly Couples

Some of the 20 modern duplexes being constructed by contractors for Twilight Homes Ltd. at Cedar Hill Cross Road and Cedar Hill Road to provide comfortable refuge for elderly couples in not very good financial circumstances. Plan of the non-profit company financing the

project is to charge \$20 a month rental and any profits resulting to go toward lowering the rent even more. Saanich Council was told last year. The three and one-half acres will be landscaped to make an attractive layout.

## Over \$11,000 Donated To Fund For Children

Over \$11,000 has been donated in Greater Victoria for the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund it was reported at a meeting of the U.N. Association of Victoria in Prince Robert House Thursday evening.

Of the total, nearly \$2,500 came from schools throughout the area.

In view of the continued need, it was agreed by association members to keep the current campaign going.

H. G. Wyatt, in an address on public opinion and the U.N. stressed the extreme necessity for a wide appreciation of the less spectacular work for world peace on which the U.N. has embarked.

He also stressed the obligation of the North American nations to give fully of their wealth and strength in befriending less-favored people everywhere.

The public mind of Canada was slow to realize the Dominion's great stake in the success of the U.N. and it needed a wider participation in the U.N.A. in Victoria and elsewhere in the task of public enlightenment in this atomic era, he said.

LADYSMITH SOCIETY Sets Date For Fair

LADYSMITH—This year's fair will be held in the Agricultural Hall on Sept. 20 and 21 it was decided at the annual meeting of the Ladysmith Agricultural Society.

The meeting elected Allan McDonald as president; Charles Rickard, vice-president, and Rev. C. E. McDiarmid, secretary-treasurer. Directors elected were Mrs. R. S. Wood, Mrs. D. S. Gourlay, Mrs. A. Beaton, Mrs. T. W. Martindale, Mrs. E. H. Peerless, Miss B. Tranfield, John Pollock, Ira Smith, Robert Simpson, Thomas Bertram, Donald Wilson, J. F. Rumble, W. E. Wright, Joseph Grousel Jr., William Pettit, Desmond McDonald and Howard Hartley.

Delegates named to the B.C. Fairs Association annual meeting at Nanaimo on March 4 were Mr. McDiarmid and Mr. McDonald.

Prof. Cooke is a member of the history department at the University of B.C. He is a graduate of Oxford University and has taught at Wesley College and the University of Manitoba.

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# Flood Threats Mount

VANCOUVER (BUP) — A mounting flood threat plagued parts of British Columbia today as heavy rains and melting snow fed mountain streams and rivers.

The weather bureau forecast a continuation of the mild weather that had thawed snow in the hills and sent water running down hills in deep rivulets.

Meanwhile a fresh storm, building up behind one that lashed the coast overnight with gales up to 50 miles an hour, sent small coastal vessels scurrying for shelter.

Residents of the Fraser Valley, centre of most of the province's fruit-growing activity, anxiously watched river banks and levees.

The public weather office in Vancouver said there was no indication of a return of bitterly cold weather that had left highways on the Lower Mainland covered with ice for several weeks.

## Weather

Official forecast issued by the Dominion Public Weather Office in Vancouver at 9 a.m., P.S.T., Feb. 10, 1950:

Synopsis—Most of the province is overcast and mild today with cold weather confined to the extreme northern edge of B.C. Rain along the coast today will let up to scattered showers overnight. Showers of mixed rain and snow will begin in the interior this afternoon and persist tonight and tomorrow. Southerly gales which swept the coast Thursday night are subsiding to fresh southerly winds this morning. Temperatures will remain mild.

Regional forecasts valid until midnight Saturday:

Vancouver city, lower Fraser Valley—Intermittent rain today and tonight. Overcast with scattered showers tomorrow. Remaining mild. Southeast winds 15 becoming light this evening. Low tonight and high tomorrow Vancouver airport and abbotsford 36 and 45.

Georgia Strait—Intermittent rain today. Overcast with scattered showers tonight and tomorrow. Remaining mild. Southeast gales 35 decreasing to southerly 20 by noon today. Low tonight and high tomorrow Nanaimo 36 and 45.

Victoria—Overcast with scattered showers today and tomorrow. Remaining mild. Easterly winds 20 shifting to westerly 20 by early afternoon. Low tonight and high tomorrow Victoria 36 and 45.

West coast Vancouver Island—Overcast with showers today and tomorrow. Remaining mild. Southerly winds 20. Low tonight and high tomorrow Estevan 36 and 45.

	Min.	Max.	Precip.
St. John's	19	26	.13
Halifax	16	26	.30
Montreal	18	35	.20
North Bay	8	28	.02
Port Arthur	2	25	.10
Winnipeg	1	14	.07
Brandon	3	23	.04
The Pas	20	8	
Regina	2	20	.15
Saskatoon	10	20	.06
Prince Albert	1	12	.12
N. Battleford	1	12	.07
Swift Current	9	10	.30
Medicine Hat	8	31	
Lethbridge	14	31	
Calgary	6	19	
Edmonton	6	11	
Kamloops	20	35	
Penticton	17	24	
Vancouver	34	43	.04
Victoria	34	43	
Kimberley	14	25	
Crescent Valley	20	31	.31
Prince Rupert	34	39	.17
Prince George	27	35	.08
Seattle	36	45	.10
Portland	51	46	.01
Olympia	46	51	.01
San Francisco	46	51	.32
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### Freakish Landslide

Resting precariously on the edge of a huge crater, this home was almost gobbled up when an underground quicksand layer shifted in Brecksville, Ohio. The slide wiped out 500 feet of Fitzwater Road (foreground), warped and ruined a state highway department building and

### Endangers House

buckled Baltimore and Ohio railroad tracks. A family of four, asleep in the house when the slide occurred, was aroused by water department employees who were repairing a leaky water main nearby. (NEA Telephoto)

## Two G.I.'s In Austria Sold Kidnap Services To Soviet

VIENNA, Austria (UP) — Two young U.S. soldiers sold their services to the Russians by kidnapping a former German war prisoner and turning him over to Soviet authorities. U.S. army headquarters announced today.

The soldiers were identified as Sgt. John Frankey, 26, of Brockton, Mass., and Corp. Paul Abel, 29, of Bolivar, Mo., members of the 796th Military Police stationed in Vienna.

Their victim was Oswald Eder, a former German citizen who was a prisoner of war in Russia until 1949.

The army said the soldiers,

### Three Doukhobors Free On Combined Bail Of \$60,000

NELSON (BUP) — Three Sons of Freedom Doukhobors were out on combined bail of \$60,000 here today pending hearing of charges against them.

Four others remained in jail, including two top radical leaders.

Out on bail were John Lebedoff, self-styled leader of 5,000 Sons of Freedom in the Krestova district. The \$50,000 bail for Lebedoff was post last week. The two others were William J. Perepelkin and Peter Malakoff both of Krestova, both free on \$10,000 bail each.

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### U.S. Railways Rush To Obey Order For Slashing Services

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Coal-burning railroads in the United States rushed today to comply with Interstate Commerce Commission orders to slash service tonight because of dwindling coal stockpiles.

Hundreds of trains will be taken out of service at 11:59 p.m. local time. That will mean unemployment for an unestimated number of railroaders. Several thousand railroad employees already have been laid off.

Unemployment in other industries will skyrocket within the next three weeks unless John L. Lewis' striking coal miners go back to the pits.

In addition to the 370,000 soft-coal diggers who are striking, at least 35,000 other workers in allied industries have been laid off because of coal shortages.

Statistics show that 1,580,000 couples were married in the United States in 1949, nearly one-third less than the all-time peak of 2,291,000 marriages in 1946.

### Set Free

Mrs. Margaret Russell, 88-year-old \$75-a-month pensioner, coaxed an attentive ear to proceedings at Municipal Court in Oakland, Calif., where she appeared on charges of "stealing" two cubes of butter valued at 38 cents. The charges were dropped and she got a \$300 settlement. (NEA Photo)

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### U.S. Commissioner In Germany Says Red Moves Blocked

BERLIN (UP) — U.S. High Commissioner John J. McCloy said today the Communists would be blocked in their threatened attempt to take west Berlin "by storm."

He also promised counter-measures would be taken against the on-and-off Russian blockade of Berlin traffic on the super-highway at Helmstedt, where 150 trucks going in both directions were piled up by mid-morning.

Responding to questions at a crowded press conference at the High Commissioner's headquarters here, McCloy said:

"I do not know what is in the minds of the Communists, but they definitely will not seize west Berlin."

McCloy, who arrived in Berlin by rail this morning from his Frankfurt headquarters to confer with American Berlin Commandant Maj. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, made his statement amid reports the Russians already had backed down on plans to seize west Berlin with the aid of German Communist police. (A date late in May had been mentioned for a march of 500,000 from the Russian zone of Germany.)

Charles Dix, U.S. Transport Chief, said there were 70 Berlin-bound trucks and 80 westbound trucks waiting for clearance at Helmstedt. Thursday night the backlog was only 40 trucks.

### Little Protection

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (BUP) — Topped by their traditional little round hats, three members of the Royal Canadian Navy arrived at Exercise Sweetbriar headquarters here Thursday.

Uniformed Americans and Canadians alike chuckled when the sailors clung to their dinky little toppers despite the stinging 44 degrees below zero cold.

He said he had launched into the project fully realizing that with Argentina presently short of U.S. dollars with which to pay its bills, the results of such a drive could not be realized overnight.



### Loses His Post

Harold F. Ambrose (above), \$10,000-a-year special assistant to U.S. Postmaster-General Jesse M. Donaldson, has been forced to resign because of postage stamp deals with speculators. Donaldson said that positively no post office department funds or actual stamps were involved in the bizarre scheme, under which Ambrose paid off his first "investors" with sums received from later "clients."

## Congress May Back Truman Stand On Atomic Control

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Truman found some solid backing in Congress today for his statement that a little cooperation from Russia is all that's needed to set up effective world atomic controls.

Truman made clear at a press conference Thursday that he isn't budging from the Baruch plan for control through international atomic inspection.

Russia has refused to accept the plan's provision for inspection of atomic projects.

The President endorsed State Secretary Dean Acheson's stand that Russia keeps agreements only when forced to by existing conditions. The President also made it plain he intends to disregard a proposal made by Senator Brien McMahon (Dem.-Conn.) that the United States spend \$50,000,000 on a five-year economic aid plan.

As outlined by the senator, such aid would be open to Russia if she agreed to effective atomic controls and shifted two-

thirds of her arms expenditure into peaceful channels.

The President also rejected a plea by Senator Millard Tydings (Dem.-Md.) for a call for a world disarmament conference.

Truman said disarmament is linked to atomic controls. If an atomic agreement could be reached, he said, disarmament probably would follow swiftly.

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### Argentine Envoy Would Boost Trade

OTTAWA (BUP)—Dr. Augustin Noreas Martinez, new Argentine Ambassador to Canada, said today he hoped to boost his country's flagging trade with Canada but conceded it might take a long time.

Martinez said one of his first jobs in Ottawa would be to start negotiations to bring about a healthier trade between the two countries.

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# Victoria Daily Times

## Mr. Mayhew's Trip

ALTHOUGH VICTORIA'S REPRESENTATIVE in the Federal Parliament since November, 1937, is no longer a young man, he agreed to the suggestion of Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent to attend an important meeting on the other side of the world. It would have been a simple matter for Mr. Mayhew to have told his chief that he did not feel up to a job of this kind. But the capital city of British Columbia's member in the Dominion Cabinet is not built that way. He takes everything in his stride. He recognizes his responsibilities as a spokesman, not only for the people of Canada in general, not only as the guiding genius of the department of an important Canadian industry, but as a representative in the national forum whose office door in the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa is always on the latch.

So Mr. Mayhew, as the Minister of Fisheries, has circled the globe. As a Canadian with a wide breadth of vision, a wealth of business ability, and intimate understanding of the economy and the requirements of the people of his adopted province of British Columbia, he seems to have done a good job.

What Victoria's member in the Dominion Ministry might say—if he were in the mood to drop the veil of secrecy over his observations—must remain in the speculative realm. But it is all to the good that

## REMEMBER MR. BENNETT?

HOW MUCH OF PROGRESSIVE CONSERVATIVE LEADER George Drew's criticism in London, Ont., yesterday of the government's trade policy was sound and fury and how much was common sense was indicated neatly in a brief remark of Finance Minister Douglas Abbott, speaking simultaneously in Montreal. While Mr. Drew was declaring that "Agriculture Minister James Gardiner said he knew the British food market was lost, but the government took no steps to sell our products elsewhere," Mr. Abbott was championing a policy to get tariffs and trade barriers "down to reasonable levels and keep them down, both here and abroad." To this the custodian of the national till made the pertinent addition:

"I think that Canada has in the main practised a reasonable and moderate tariff policy with the exception of a short period during the great depression of the 1930's."

In the early years of that decade, it will be remembered, the then Prime Minister, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, proclaimed his intention of "blasting" his way into the markets of the world. The trade statistics of that period furnish their own commentary—with appropriate recognition being given to the economic conditions of the world at that time. To phrase it generously, the "blasting operation" was a wet squib.

Now, at a new stage in marketing difficulties, when potentially willing buyers just have not the necessary dollars with which to do business, Mr. Drew, standard-bearer of a party traditionally devoted to high protection, makes noises that sound extraordinarily like those made, almost 20 years ago by his predecessor.

Mr. Abbott, on the other hand, confines himself to simple fact when he states that "the persistent lack of balance in trade between the sterling and dollar areas continues to be the underlying problem of world trade. . . . In order to maintain our exports at the highest possible level, we in Canada are continuing every effort to achieve a better balance in trade with the United Kingdom and other overseas countries by constructive methods of promoting imports from them."

Mr. Drew places himself in a precarious position when, with his party's high tariff background, he raises the challenge he saw fit to voice in his speech yesterday.

## DICKENSIAN DIGNITY

IN A WORLD IN WHICH TOO MANY people become too excited on too many issues, it is pleasant to read of members of the Dickens Fellowship sitting down to their annual dinner in an atmosphere of quiet enjoyment untroubled by the storms one branch of the human family has attempted to raise about the head of their favorite. As they savored again the morsels that have tickled their literary palates since they first became acquainted with the great story-teller and novelist, the Victoria group showed scarcely any interest in the anti-Dickens campaign waged last year by certain members of the Jewish faith who objected to a characterization in "Oliver Twist." Theirs, we submit, was the proper attitude to take toward such unnecessary vituperation.

It might have seemed to the casual reader at the time the "Oliver Twist" controversy was at its height, following the production of the moving picture version, that Dickens had devoted himself to an anti-Semitic crusade—an undertaking which, on similar evidence, might also have been charged against Shakespeare. The Dickens Fellowship here apparently chose the wise course of ignoring such rabid antipathy. They felt justifiably secure in the soundness of their appreciation of an author who had created a thousand characters for their enjoyment, or reproach. By their action they left the militant Dickens detractors in the unhappy position of wasting their strength against nothing—a situation more ridiculous than that of Don Quixote who at least could lift a windmill.

Unfortunately the throat of a guest speaker never gets as dry as his subject.

## Matter Of Fact

By JOSEPH' and STEWART ALSOP from Washington

### HITLER AND STALIN

THE EVIDENCE is increasing daily that the Soviet timetable has moved into a new phase. As one authority puts it, the Kremlin has now passed the point that Hitler passed with the re-occupation of the Rhineland. The Kremlin is now beginning the phase of accelerated preparatory action—of picking off the exposed salients before attacking the main positions—that Hitler began with the invasion of Austria.

All the Kremlin's bluff and bluster of the last four years have only served to conceal the central reality, which has been the active, intensive build-up of Soviet military strength.

THE NEW PHASE is now opening, just as it did in Hitler's case, because the rearmament effort has begun to produce solid results. Hence the Kremlin is encouraged, just as Hitler was, to take larger measures and to run greater risks.

A great deal of pure nonsense has been talked and written on this head, mainly to the effect that the Soviet Union has enjoyed dominant military power ever since the end of the Second World War. In point of fact, however, from the end of the war until this year, the Soviet Union had no atomic bomb, no air defence whatever, and no solid industrial base. The Western confederation, on the other hand, possessed atomic bombs. Despite demobilization, the Western confederation also retained the strategic air power to deliver these bombs to the undefended cities of Russia. This situation was a decisive deterrent as long as it lasted.

BUT THIS SITUATION has now been liquidated by Soviet rearmament. As U.S. Secretary for Air Stuart Symington pointed out in his courageous and illuminating Texas speech, the Kremlin has not merely overcome all the difficulties listed above, it has also built up the greatest air force and submarine fleet in the world, to supplement the Red Army's strength.

The Kremlin's planners are justified in deriving a glowing new self-confidence from their revolutionary re-adjustment of the world power balance. This new self-confidence is already being reflected, moreover, in certain actions which have received too little attention in the American press.

OF THESE ACTIONS, the most important to date is the extraordinary Soviet recognition of the Communist guerrilla movement of Ho Chi Minh as the real government of French Indo-China. This step has been taken at a time when Paris has finally given independence to Indo-China, under the government of the Emperor Bao Dai, and at a time when American and British recognition of Bao Dai is momentarily expected.

Soviet recognition of Ho Chi Minh unquestionably means that Ho Chi Minh's guerrillas will be openly and actively supported by the Chinese Communists (who have also recognized Ho), just as the Greek guerrillas were supported by the Bulgars and the Albanians. Furthermore, the French Communist party has simultaneously been ordered into action. The French dock-workers are now striking to prevent arms shipments to Bao Dai. In short, every measure this side of open, armed invasion of French Indo-China, is now being taken by the Kremlin.

THE SITE, according to the authorities, provides wide scope for the treatment of boys whose early diversion into anti-social ways may be checked before their lives are set irreclaimably toward careers in crime. Increased facilities for training, a healthier and generally more suitable environment, and the existence of available land for farming all points to the possibilities of more effective work by the staff in its efforts to readjust twisted personalities and to restore the wayward to avenues which lead to good citizenship.

It would be foolish to hope that the new school would effect 100 per cent reformation in all the boys who may be sent to it. Among them will be youths without the ability to respond to treatment. On the other hand, if the new arrangement can reduce the number who would otherwise develop into the so-called habitual criminal class, the undertaking will represent not only an enlightened approach to a social problem of particular gravity, but will also effect an economic saving to the province. Within the scheme lie the potentials of reducing later crime and its costs to the public, as well as returning to legitimate productive fields youths who would otherwise be lost.

FURTHERMORE, in the infinitely vaster panorama now confronting us, where the Far East has Austria's old place, Western Europe has the former position of Czechoslovakia. The scene of action will again shift westward, whenever the Soviet margin of strength has been suitably widened. The experts put this date some time between 1952, when the Kremlin will have laid by a respectable stockpile of atomic bombs, and 1955, when all Soviet armament plans now culminate.

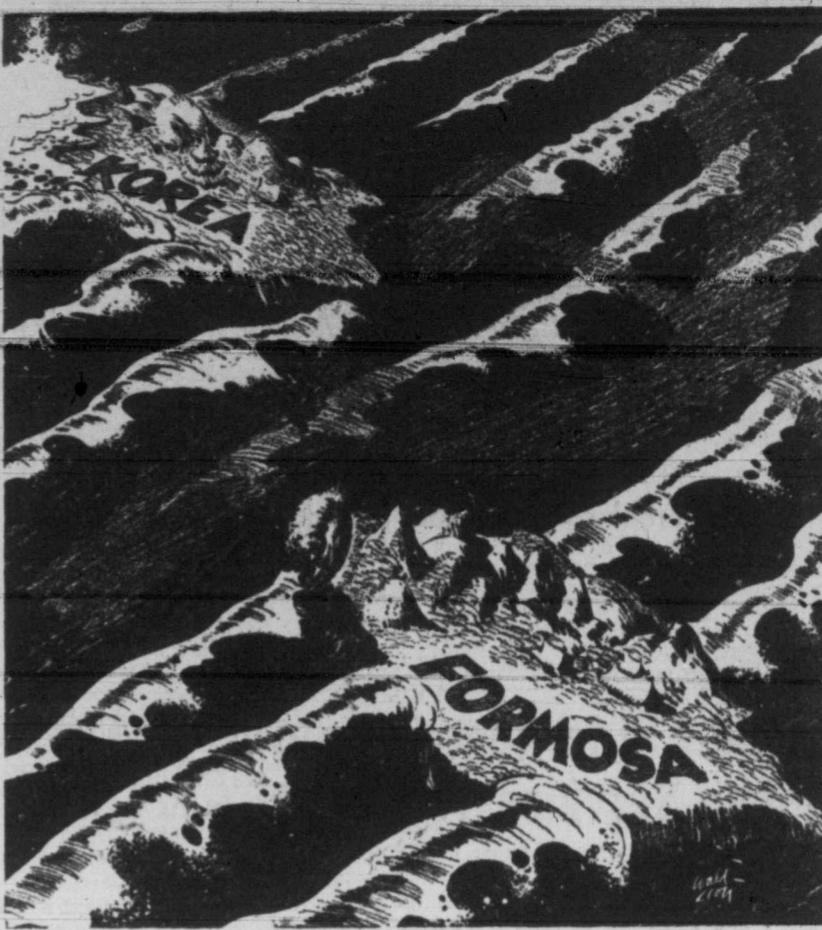
Just as Stanley Baldwin, Neville Chamberlain and John Simon had to decide the fate of the world in the bemused '30's, so Harry Truman, Dean Acheson and Louis Johnson have to do so today. The future would be more encouraging if so many members of the administration in Washington did not already sound like Lord Baldwin at his worst. (Copyright, 1950, New York Herald Tribune Inc.)

## Quotes

Labor's best hope is for the election of a new Congress in November that will be committed to Taft-Hartley repeal.—William Green, A.F.L. president.

Businessmen have raised their sights to the magnitude and lasting nature of post-war opportunities. They have shaken off most of their qualms over the readjustments that they surmounted last year.—Industrialist Henry Kaiser.

## The Red Tide . . .



## As Our Readers See It

### BEYOND US

As an economist, probably in the old-fashioned class, I was intrigued by a letter in your paper yesterday from Doris Blakey, secretary of the Victoria Labor-Progressive Party, who wrote something like this:

"A trade treaty with China could put every one in B.C. to work if the government followed the lead of other Commonwealth countries instead of waiting on Washington."

Now, Mr. Editor, just exactly what does this mean? What peculiar economic wisdom does this Blakey person possess that could transform the economy of Canada into some sort of Utopian association with Communist China?

I would like to have this explained.

JUST CURIOUS

### ECHO TRAIL

I think the Times is Victoria's newspaper for the people. I am writing to you regarding a matter which I think merits your consideration.

Monday night a new song was given to Victoria from the stage of the Atlas theatre. The song "Echo Trail" is a type very popular just now, a western, composed by a Victoria woman, who wrote the music, and her daughter who is responsible for the lyrics.

This song was enthusiastically received at the Atlas. The people like it! Is there any reason why Victoria cannot get back on this song and put it on top?

Vancouver did it with the "Blue Bird" number. "Echo Trail" has as much, if not more, to offer than the "Blue Bird."

M. VINING

### WEATHER AND ECONOMICS

Your correspondent Doris Blakey denies that she and her pals in the Labor Progressive Party welcome bad times as providing an opportunity for further propaganda. She claims such an idea is as foolish as saying a weather man welcomes the bad weather he must predict.

But if the weather man sold woolen mufflers on the side it is easy to see that he might be interested in predicting non-existent cold weather. It strikes me it's the same way with the Communists. They hope their forecasts of depressions ahead will spur the sale of the political mufflers they are trying to peddle. But it's "no sale," Doris. We'll keep our necks out of that one.

UNMUFFLED

## GLOBAL SURVEY

By DeWITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press News Analyst  
STATE SECRETARY DEAN  
ACHESON'S declaration which puts the anti-Communist strategy of the United States squarely on a policy of power is official recognition of a situation which has existed since the birth of Communist rule in Russia.

Acheson told a press conference that four years of experience "have brought us the realization" that progress towards world peace simply by making agreements with the Russians, is impossible.

### SHARP DEVIATION

This is a sharp deviation from the views held by the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt. Many times he expressed the belief that Russia would cooperate for peace.

The fact that communism will respond only to strength was established way back in 1919 when Lenin founded the Comintern or general staff for world revolution. This was flat and fair notice that communism not only was going to rule in Russia but was aiming to spread abroad by force if necessary.

Force isn't an ideological answer to communism. It must be combated with the virtues of democracy.

Communism is a dynamic ideology. Its methods of organization are powerful and appeal to the imagination of many people of an adventurous or uneasy mind.

### LOOSE TERM

Democracy is rather a loose term for a collection of ideas. Its weakness may be in lack of co-ordination and organization.

The great strength of communism strikes us by lying largely in its methods of intensive organization. Communism, Nazism and Fascism all are dictatorships. Regimentation of the public makes ideological co-ordination easier. Democracy has no truck with such things.

Still, there are plenty of legitimate ways in which democracy can tighten up its organization and co-ordination. To many observers the youth movements are among the greatest assets a country can have. If the other fellow can interest the young people, so can democracy.

## CLIPPED at RANDOM

### ROUGH JOKE

Australian News Letter  
The 73-year-old Sydney poet, Hugh McCrae, an inveterate joker, wrote to his sister, who was returning from England by ship, that he had been thrown out of his home and now had a room in Long Bay Gaol.

When the sister arrived she sent him a big plum cake. As he was eating a slice his teeth struck something hard. It was a file.

### EDUCATION AND CRIME

Edmonton Bulletin  
A direct connection between lack of education and crime seems to be implied in disclosure of the fact by Joseph McCulley, deputy commissioner of penitentiaries, that 82 per cent of the inmates of Canadian penitentiaries have no more than elementary school education.

But a fairer conclusion to draw from these facts would be that crime, instead of stemming from lack of education, is related to lack of education because each has the same causal basis.

Children quit school at an early age, usually because of the pressure of poverty. Crime also results from the pressure of poverty.

To imply that comparatively uneducated persons are more prone to crime than college graduates because of their lack of education is to apply far too much.

### FLURRY IN BERLIN

Washington Post  
Withdrawal of American troops from the Reichsbahn Building in the American sector in Berlin has not ended the Western-Russian flurry in the former German capital. The Russians are making a good deal of capital out of it. They are talking "excitantly" about the American "retreat" and, worse, they are starting another blockade to squeeze the West out of Berlin. There is a "calculated attempt," according to the three military commanders, to cut the highway supply lines of the western sectors. That would be something to thank the American commander for, Gen. Maxwell Taylor. He is one of the ablest soldiers in the American Army, as well as a man of poise; but he seems to be lacking in something that is absolutely necessary in dealing with the Russians. This is unwavering firmness.

## The Ledgers Tell The Story

From The Letter-Review

THE Electric Authority in Britain is running up against economic laws in an unpleasant fashion. Knowing that the nation would like to use more electric power, it has made constant increases in capital investment.

### HIGHER RATES

Owing to the difficult problem in accounting methods of providing for increased cost of plant, it turns out that new and supposedly more efficient equipment produces electric power at a greater cost than antiquated plant. Thus, the more capital expenditures to improve plant and make it more efficient, the poorer the public utility becomes, or the higher rates consumers pay.

In simple language, this means that, whatever the accountants may say, the Electric Authority in Britain certainly did not make \$1,000,000 last year. It probably lost, as an economic proposition, a good deal more than this.

### IT'S A HABIT

London (Ont.) Free Press  
When Archdeacon Townshend asserts that teachers are themselves to blame for teacher shortage, on the ground that they have given their profession the name of being a very grim undertaking, he raises in the mind the echo of all those other professional persons who, in their turn complain bitterly of the equally grim conditions under which they labor.

Significance of this might be kept in mind where we plan, for example, subways in Canadian cities.

Subways are a much more efficient method of mass transportation than surface street railways. Surface street railways are operating with cars and other equipment that were purchased at much lower cost than now prevails. The new subways will have to be purchased at prevailing cost.

### NO JUGGLING

Result is that this improvement in efficiency of handling traffic is going to end in greatly increased fares to the public, and no amount of juggling ownership so as to save taxes will prevent this from occurring.



### Police Brush Up on Marksmanship

Detective-Inspector Charles Webb, left, shows target and tells Constables Albert Wilson and James Smith that the former's shooting is "not bad." Shooting practice is held in conjunction with the police training course in charge of Insp. Webb in basement of city police Fisgard Street station building.



Detective Alex Briggs, who assists Insp. Webb in shooting practice, here explains firing mechanism of revolver to Constable Rodney McNeill. The two instructors are among police force's top marksmen.



Constable Eric Rossiter, one of newer recruits of Victoria Police Department, lines up to try marksmanship after receiving close instruction.

### One Dies When Car Careens Off Road

PRINCE RUPERT (BUP)—An interior British Columbia resident was killed and his wife slightly injured Thursday when their car plunged off the highway near Prince Rupert.

George Thompson, formerly of Mount Nebo, Sask., died in the accident at Decker Lake. His wife escaped with only slight injuries.

### Bodies Recovered

BOURG D'OISANS, French Alps (Reuter)—Ski rescue teams Thursday recovered five bodies of 14 persons killed when an avalanche swept away their mountain home near here. Occupants of the house, 6,000 feet up on the Alpe d'Huez, were mostly woodcutters and laborers who worked on the slopes above a winter sports centre, the local mount rescue station superintendent told a reporter.

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## Debate On Legalized Lotteries Airy, Serious, Waggish, Humorous

A rosy picture of Canada in a few short years, "with the rich becoming poor and the poor becoming rich," was painted—though not too seriously—to the Victoria Young Liberals' Association Thursday night by J. Ronald Grant, one of four members taking part in a debate on legalization of lotteries in Canada.

This picture was deemed possible, said the young lawyer, through legalized lotteries, which he termed "the Robin Hood of economics."

The debate was a pleasant mixture of airiness and seriousness, with both aspects being ably handled by the participants.

Supporting a resolution favoring legalized lotteries under government supervision for charitable purposes in Canada with Mr. Grant was Robert Griffin.

Taking the negative side were Catherine Shaw and Donald E. Anderson, another newcomer to local legal ranks.

### FAR-REACHING IMPLICATIONS

Arguments ranged on both sides from the strictly practical and technical phases of lotteries to far-reaching social and moral implications which might follow the adoption or rejection of legalized gambling.

All speakers used Ireland and other countries which already have lotteries for charitable or similar purposes as examples to support statements pro and con.

Said Mr. Griffin: "Legalized lotteries would be a simple form of taxation . . . let the gamblers pay . . . 73 per cent of voters were in favor of them in a 1932 vote in Vancouver . . . France had a lucrative scheme some years ago, and the only reason it is not still operating is that too many Frenchmen got too tight-fingered with the government's money . . . there is no easier way to get money out of people who don't want to give any."

Miss Shaw, who was termed by one member as "a member of the higher-income bracket now" because of her vocation (she is a teacher), said in speaking against legalized lotteries they would injure purchasing power, would take money from circulation, would cause money to be used for a purpose other than its proper one—the exchange of goods or services—and would decrease amounts of money which otherwise go into goods from which taxes are derived such as tobacco, liquor, entertainment and the like.

### WORSENING CONDITION

She envisioned a worsening of a condition in Canada she described as prevalent in which the west was the debtor and the east the creditor.

"If you expect returns for being charitable then you are not truly being charitable," Miss Shaw said.

Racketeers, counterfeiters, less

saving, and the encouragement of people to get something for nothing were given by her as potential dangers of legalized lotteries.

Terming them "snivelling types of programs," she stated: "By nature human beings have a strong gambling instinct. I firmly believe that legalized lotteries are the unscrupulous production of a human weakness and the government has many human strengths to develop."

In answer to Miss Shaw's point that lotteries reduced purchasing power, Mr. Grant pointed out that income taxes "reduce my purchasing power considerably every month."

He continued that the present law against lotteries was economically unsound and actually encouraged money to go out of the country, whereas Canadian lotteries would bring in outside money.

Mr. Anderson countered by saying lotteries would entice foreign competition until countries conceivably would have lottery barriers similar to present trade barriers.

In the lighter vein, he suggested legalized lotteries would result in a huge government department being set up for administration.

"Let us not condemn people to such a parasitic existence—we would have a new army of civil servants plodding to the government buildings each morning to serve out their terms of 'active retirement.'"

### STRETCHING PURPOSES

He saw the whole thing being commercialized: "Can't you see an ad. about Gruessome Girdles stretching their purposes to help expectant mothers by giving lottery coupons away with every purchase? Isn't that charitable?" he inquired, projecting his talk

into supposed well-established days of legalized lotteries.

Mr. Anderson well wound up on his topic, scanned his notes, came upon a good point, exclaimed, "This is a good one," and proceeded to outline as basic human drives, drinking, gambling and sex.

"We drink, it is legal, we buy it from a liquor store. We gamble, and my opponents want that legalized. If they follow the thing through logically on the same basis, there could be a lowering of morals and legalized bawdy houses," the lawyer quipped in attempting to break down his opponents' reasoning and arguments.

Mr. Griffin, in a brief rebuttal said, "Let's face it, gambling is here to stay."

For argumentative quality of the debate the vote of the meeting went to Miss Shaw and Mr. Anderson, but, in a more serious vote, the resolution was passed. It will be forwarded to Ottawa.

### Loss Of Sight

TORONTO (CP)—Eighty per cent of the 17,000 registered blind in Canada lost their sight

in adult life from a variety of causes, says Col. E. A. Baker, managing director of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind.



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**'Decision In Germany'****Incidents Increase As Blockade Tightens**

This is installment 17 of the story of the crucial years in the Cold War with Russia, condensed from Gen. Clay's book published by Doubleday & Co. Inc. Gen. Clay, a former U.S. Army general, fought the end of the war, served as deputy military governor of U.S. occupied Germany, in 1946, became commander of all U.S. forces in Europe, a post he held until retirement last year.

In the period between the imposition of the blockade against Allied personnel and its extension against the civil population, the conditions in Berlin were more tense than at any other time. The arrests of our personnel who entered the Soviet sector became increasingly frequent. Altogether there were 93 detained in the first half of 1948.

Few, if any, of these arrests had any real justification, and in many instances the Americans were held for hours under humiliating conditions in cells with German criminals. Occasionally they were required to clean floors and walls.

**TRAFFIC SAFETY ORDERED**

Many Russian passed through our sector daily en route from their homes in Potsdam to their sector of Berlin. They drove with high speed and abandon in the German cars which had been confiscated for their use. I ordered the enforcement of a traffic-safety program, knowing it would mean the arrest of a substantial number of speeding Russian drivers. I also placed road blocks on the Potsdam highway from time to time.

**Unemployed See Fisheries Minister On Federal Action**

Proposal that the executive of the Unemployment Action Association of Greater Victoria Association of Greater Victoria study the possibility of presenting a brief at the next meeting of the City Council on Monday afternoon was made by Miss J. Robson at a meeting held Thursday afternoon at the Buffalo Hall, Broughton Street.

Miss Robson was instrumental in the organization of a publicity committee of five members, composed of herself as chairman, Mr. S. Caldwell, A. Lehman, A. Fraser and G. Taggart. The committee will be in charge of drafting posters and issuing press releases.

Following the meeting, a group of about 30 members interviewed Hon. R. W. Mayhew, Minister of Fisheries, on the action of the federal government regarding the unemployment question.

**INVESTIGATE CLAIMS**

It was reported that a delegation interviewed officials of the Unemployment Insurance branch here to deal with the question of four grievances. Chairman John Wainscott announced that in one of the cases the individual had been since notified that he could collect the benefits; a second case was being looked into, but the other two had no chance of being cleared up because of existing rules.

A mimeographed letter to be sent to the various trade unions was read at the meeting.

A recommendation was made that the association attempt to secure free time on both local radio stations, following the pattern of the Nanaimo group.

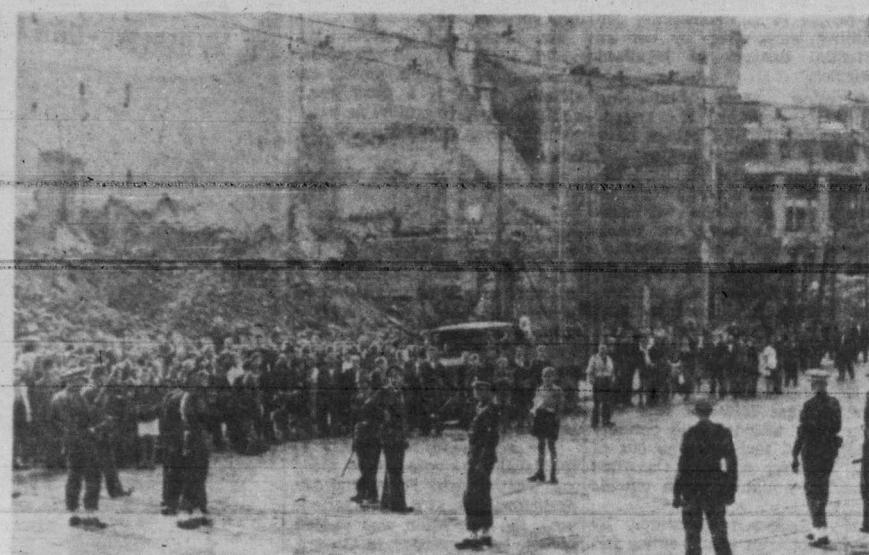
Regarding a public announcement that D.P.'s were being employed at the Ogden Point Docks on one or two-year contracts at 65 cents an hour and for a 10-hour day, members voted to investigate the matter with the assistance of local trade unions and present a report at the next meeting to be held in the same hall Feb. 16, at 2:30.

**Shows D.P.'s Working For Less Pay, Longer Hours**

A charge that displaced persons were being made to work for less wages and longer hours than Canadian workers was made by Julian Mitchell, president, at a meeting of the Esquimalt C.C.F. Club. He described their working conditions as "a moral disgrace to the Canadian people."

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**FREQUENT SCENE OF DISORDERS** and border incidents was the Potsdam Platz, where the eastern and western sectors of Berlin met. Here U.S. military police and German police are shown throwing a cordon across a thoroughfare near the Platz, with hundreds of curious German civilians lined up in the background (American zone) to watch. This occurred Aug. 23, 1948.

where Soviet cars would be required to stop for identification of passengers.

On June 26 our speed traps caught Marshal Sokolovsky, who had refused to stop for a jeep patrol which had then arranged for the radio for the speeding car to be intercepted by one of our patrolling armored cars. When his car was stopped, armed bodyguards who were following him in another car made the mistake of jumping out with guns in hand. Our patrol quickly put a gun in the pit of Marshal Sokolovsky's stomach and his bodyguards calmed down. He was held for almost an hour before an American officer arrived to identify and release him.

**CALLS ON SOKOLOVSKY**

At the time I felt badly about this incident. While there was no question but that Marshal Sokolovsky's car was speeding, he and I had once been friends. Therefore I called on him the same day to express my personal regrets. I expected him to treat the matter in his usual humorous way. This did not prove to be the case, and our meeting was strained. Marshal Sokolovsky was cold and indignant and charged that the arrest had been made as a plan to humiliate him. In view of these charges I did not try to convince him otherwise and said merely that I did not come to apologize officially for an act which was justified but only to explain as an old friend why it had happened.

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**SURROUND BUILDING**

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### Forces Pour In to Whitehorse for Sweetbriar

By plane and by truck soldiers and airmen are pouring into Whitehorse, in the Yukon, for one of the most intensive U.S.-Canadian army-air force manoeuvres in sub-arctic climate. Here members of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, flown from Edmonton, disembark.



A big truck convoy, after a 1,700-mile trip from Wainwright, Alta., much of it along the Alaska Highway, is greeted in Whitehorse. It is the first of four motor convoys to carry troops to the exercise. Capt. L. A. Bissonette, commander of the convoy on the trip, is greeted by Lt.-Col. George Weir. Both are from Edmonton.

### Canadian Mustangs Victorious In First Test With U.S. Jets

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (CP)—Canadian Mustang fighter planes Thursday more than held their own against U.S. jet aircraft in a mock dog fight at low altitudes over this northern search base.

The "battle" was a training prelude to Exercise Sweetbriar, the joint winter manoeuvre in the north which is scheduled to get under way from Whitehorse Feb. 13.

The roar of low-flying aircraft flying at great speeds and the twisting vapor trails the fighters left in their wake held the tense search base spellbound for about one-half hour.

All planes were attached to the allied forces in Sweetbriar. But for training purposes, four R.C.A.F. Mustangs from the Joint Air Training School at Rivers, Man., acted as a strafing flight from the exercise's "aggressor" force.

Four American F-80 jet planes, based at Anchorage, Alaska, acted as the "allied" defence. They were to keep the Mustangs from destroying aircraft on landing strips at the Whitehorse air base.

The Mustangs, flying between 350 and 375 miles an hour compared with the 500 m.p.h. speed of the jets, demonstrated they could turn much tighter circles than the F-80s, thus eluding planes on their tails.

#### AT LOW LEVEL

On their first pass over the airbase, the Mustangs came in "right on the deck"—about 30 feet above the ground.

The fighter planes often executed "loop-the-loops" at

hangar-top levels. But it will be different in the exercise, where such dog fights will not be allowed below 6,000 feet altitude.

A Sweetbriar umpire, who watched the dog fight in the

rooftop of a hangar, estimated the Mustangs destroyed seven aircraft on the ground and two F-80s in the air. He said the F-80s "shot down" all but one of the Mustangs.



And now you can enjoy something new and delightful—drinks made with Captain Morgan Black Label Rum. The very next time, try this extra smooth and flavourful rum—a refreshing change in cocktails, tall drinks or mixed with plain water or soda.

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### Says Wonderment Sure Sign Of Youth

"If a person can keep before himself the quality of wonderment, he is still young."

This conclusion was drawn by Thomas C. Macnabb of Saint John, N.B., a director of Rotary International, who addressed members of the Victoria club Thursday at a luncheon at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Macnabb stressed the importance of making friends as another factor in staying young. The title of his address was "Guess Your Age."

### Merchant Fleet Cost Put At \$25,000,000 Yearly

SAINT JOHN, N.B. (CP)—Transport Minister Chevrier said Thursday it would have cost the federal government \$25,000,000 a year to keep Canada's deep-sea merchant fleet in operation.

Outlining the reasons behind the government's decision to pay a \$3,000,000 subsidy to Canadian shipping companies for one year only, Mr. Chevrier said he felt the government had adopted the only sensible policy.

He made the statements in a speech at the official opening of the \$3,250,000 Pugley Wharf in Saint John harbor.

"It is the confident hope of

the government," he said, "that this policy will do three things:

"1. Ensure that Canada has at her disposal adequate ocean-going shipping to meet her requirements in a time of war.

"2. Maintain the ownership and control of the present deep-sea fleet in the hands of Canadian shipping companies.

"3. Keep about 1,600 seamen actively employed as a nucleus on which to enlarge in time of need; a base on which to again build a merchant navy like that which played so important and heroic a role in the last World War."

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Dairyman Claims Margarine Caused Loss of \$46 Million

EDMONTON (CP)—Canadian dairy farmers already have lost \$46,000,000 through introduction of margarine into the Canadian economy, J. H. Duplan of London, Ont., said here Thursday.

Mr. Duplan, president of the National Dairy Council, addressed the closing session of the annual convention of the Alberta Dairy Men's Association.

He predicted a further "substantial" drop this year as a direct result of the fall in cheese prices and loss of the United Kingdom market.

He also said margarine would likely still further replace butter. "It is obvious that this will be reflected in price declines in all manufactured dairy products, to be followed eventually by a drop in fluid milk prices."

He said the dairy industry's problem directly affects nearly every worker in Canada, as well as federal and provincial governments.

The appeal against the Supreme Court of Canada's ruling making legal the manufacture and sale of the butter substitute, he said, "will have far-reaching implications for our whole economy."

The appeal is before the Privy Council.

Canada has helped nobly in the work of the International Refugee Organization, Sir Arthur Rucker, deputy director-general of the group said Thursday before members of the city Rotary Club.

A luncheon guest of the club, Sir Arthur told of the work accomplished by the organization, which is a special agency of United Nations, in housing displaced persons from Europe.

Of approximately 20,000 D.P.'s, the mandate of the I.R.O. was required to attend to the needs of about 1,500,000, Sir Arthur said.

Of this total, he said it was expected some 900,000 would be settled by June. So far, Canada had taken in about 70,000 D.P.'s. Australia 100,000, the United States 200,000, and the United Kingdom, which Sir Arthur represented, 80,000.

He told of 26,000 D.P.'s who were extremely difficult to settle, as they were specialists in certain fields, but past the age of useful employment. He urged Canada to aid in attempting to settle this group.

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## Musician To Travel Abroad



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Do you believe that if you wish long enough and strong enough for something your wish will come true?

This formula has had results for music teacher Miss Florence Phillimore.

On the 18th she will board a British Royal Mail Line freighter, the Durango, sailing from Vancouver, on a five-week ocean cruise, through the Panama Canal to England—the trip she has dreamed and planned for many years.

In England she will visit her many relations, including two sisters, Mrs. Reg. Davidson in Nottingham and Mrs. Albert Raynor in Balsover, near Chesterfield, whom she hasn't seen since 1911.

That year, she and her parents left England to come to Canada, and settled first in Moose Jaw.

In 1935 Miss Phillimore came to Victoria and started her teaching profession. She now lives with an aunt, Miss Florence Simpson, and her pet cocker spaniel, Peter, on Prendie.

Subdivision Plans  
Saints' Day Teas

Plans for a St. Valentine's Day tea, Feb. 14, to be held at the home of Mrs. Michael Griffin, 122 Howe Street, convened by Mrs. D. Kenny, and for a St. Patrick's Day tea, March 17 at St. Louis College, to be convened by Mrs. William Milligan, were made at a meeting of Victoria Senior Subdivision, held in the parish hall.

Mrs. A. J. Bergeron, president, reported on the Diocesan Council of C.W.L. meeting at which it was proposed to offer a scholarship to St. Joseph's School of Nursing, 1950 class, also to encourage the Missionary Sisters of Mary recently organized in eastern Canada.

Members decided to assist with the Victoria Musical Festival to be held in Victoria during May.

Mrs. H. L. P. L'Alme, convenor of education, reported on present standing of the C.W.L. Girl Guides and Brownies and it was announced that Mrs. W. R. Martin, citizenship convenor, will prepare notices of church services at St. Andrew's Cathedral to be posted for the convenience of tourists and other visitors to Victoria.

Bishop Hill spoke on the proposed work of the league and on the missions to be preached during Lent at the Cathedral.

Mrs. M. J. Haley was in charge of the musical program and at the close of business, refreshments were served by Mesdames W. Brown, W. R. Martin, A. Lagace, D. Kenny and Miss V. Babington.

## Valentine Dance

Members of the Cordova Bay Community Club are sponsoring a St. Valentine's Dance this evening in McMorrin's Pavilion from 9 until 1. Bert Zala's orchestra will play for dancing. Doug Fletcher and Fred Sutton are co-chairmen of arrangements and Bernie Rogers is in charge of publicity.

Lodge Primrose Daughter of England No. 32, business meeting tonight at 8 in K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street; installation of officers; official visit of District Worthy Sister M. Kendall. St. John's Ladies' Guild, Monday, guild room at 2:30.

## Of Personal Interest

Friends in this city will be interested to know that Mr. John C. Cairns, M.A., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cairns, 3255 Uplands Road, has left New York aboard the Isle de France. Mr. Cairns intends to spend the next year in Paris on research work.

Among guests here to attend the marriage of Miss Kathleen Steven and Capt. Wilfred Davenport last evening were Mrs. M. Dodds, Mrs. M. Whcox, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sparshatt, Port Alberni, and Mrs. G. Barker, Melita, Man.

Mr. Norman Toseland is holidaying in the city for the next few weeks, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Toseland, 1024 Richmond Avenue, and his sister, Miss Dorothy Toseland. During the past two years, Mr. Toseland has been in Bridgetown, Barbados, and a. Banff. At present he is in Regina.

Miss Frances Leach, whose marriage to Mr. William Taylor will take place Feb. 18, was honored at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Miss Helen Campbell, 611 Battery Street.

The bride-elect was presented with a corsage bouquet of white chrysanthemums. Gifts were drawn from a basket decorated in Valentine motif by Miss Margaret Hillis, who will act as bridesmaid for Miss Leach.

Others present were Mesdames Mary Hillis, Kay Norris, Helen Thomasset, Lorna Scott, Ina English and Misses Jean Knapik, Jess Wardhaugh and Jean Bissett.

Commander and Mrs. R. P. Kingscote have left their Munro Street home, and are staying at Cherry Bank, for the next week. Then they will leave for Vancouver, from where they will fly to New Zealand. Mrs. Kingscote, former home, to live. Cmdr. Kingscote is widely known in naval circles, and is a leader in many organizations over the past years, including the local sea cadet organization. Both he and Mrs. Kingscote have served with many organizations within the Greater Victoria area, and are well-known for their service as committee members of the S.P.C.A. Mrs. Kingscote has been active with the White Cane Club, and Cmdr. Kingscote has been keenly interested in city sports activities.

In honor of Mrs. Kenneth Salmon, the former Miss Joan Hatton of London, Eng., a miscellaneous shower was held on Monday at the home of Miss Gloria McRoberts, 1121 McClure Street. Mrs. Salmon was presented with a corsage bouquet of deep pink carnations. Gifts were concealed in a pink swan set in a similarly decorated fireplace. Refreshments were served from a table centred with spring flowers, and Miss Kathleen Shaw presided at the urns. Guests included Misses E. Barroncough, A. Hamilton, A. Hilliard, K. Johnson, W. Lees, A. Leggott, M. Lister, F. Martin, M. Clapp, E. Denison, V. McConaghay, E. Oldfield, L. Ritchie, P. Smith, M. Heimken, F. Smith, M. Tams, L. Field, J. Fraser, V. Bodger, S. Cunningham, and the Mesdames: M. Moore, B. Reynolds, B. Lee, I. Stewart, J. Hunt, D. Roberts, I. McRoberts.

In every office and workshop, warmth, moisture and used-up air . . . not to mention dust and tobacco smoke . . . are being given off all the time by the occupants. Unless the air is kept moving it becomes stagnant and oppressive, and good, accurate work becomes difficult.

Back again with a long awaited announcement . . . we have just unpacked a shipment of very rich looking reasonably priced SCOTCH LACE and ENGLISH LACE TABLE-CLOTHS. They come in sizes to fit every table—the smallest being 50x80 inches, the largest 90x108 inches. Come in and admire them—have a chat with us—or better still buy them. They're definitely an asset to your home. From 1.95.

Pearls have solved more than one gift problem . . . they're worn by young or old. We have a large selection in single, double and triple strands—and look at the tiny price, 90¢ to 2.50.

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## Shopping Guide

## Use Old Records For Mats Try Papering Wall With 'Em

By Penny Saver

"Ding Dong Daddy From Dumas" may not be the current hit recording in this year of 1950 but put that discing under a hot dinner dish and it will be a "smash" with mom. Go ahead! Raise an eyebrow and tell me I've been out in the snow too long, but that's what a pretty dark-haired clerk told me this morning. Says she, "we very often have housewives come into shop for old records for use as table mats."

Mind you, that doesn't mean little wifey sets your bowl of soup on a recording of "Ain't Misbehavin' All By Myself" No sir! First she spreads the silence cloth, then the records at each place, and over the records, goes the table cloth. It takes a woman to think up a jazzy idea like that!

While we were on the turntable topics, another clerk, who had overheard the amazing conversation, stopped to say that she had heard of a number of people who had completely "wallpapered" rumpus rooms with old recordings. All you have to do is arrange beforehand to have the family standing by with a stack of old "hot platters" while you apply the plaster, to the walls that is, then stand well back and let them go to it with their best bowling arms. Presto! You've got a wall covered with records.

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## Valentine Delight

The diced fruit salad I mentioned a week or so ago, is now selling for two tins for 59 cents. Contains a luscious combination of peaches, pears and cherries.

Something new in tins are Mandarin oranges. At 19 cents a tin you can serve the delicacy either chilled as a fruit cocktail or in a fruit salad.

If you've ever looked a cold dish of rice in the face, and wondered if it was worth the trouble it took to wash, rinse, drain and steam it, you'll be glad to hear about this new Minute Rice.

To cook these wonder kernels all you have to do is add them to water, bring to a boil, cover, and keep them warm for ten minutes. You now have fluffy white rice ready to serve with your favorite stew, curry or creamed dish.

The main thing to remember about this rice, that sells for two packages for 33 cents, is not to cook it like ordinary rice. There are instructions for its preparation right on the package.

## FRUITED BREAD PUDDING

Here's a bargain for the sweet toothed members of your family. If you happen to be in town Saturday look around a bit and you'll find a Fort Street candy shop that will be selling crunchy peanut brittle for 35 cents a pound. (Regular price 50 cents!)

Y.W.C.A. Notes

Friday, meeting of electors and those interested in becoming electors of Victoria Y.W.C.A., at 8. Seven hundred and sixty Y.Teens, in large clubroom at 8.

Monday, Junior Y.Teens, large clubroom at 5. Y-Ens, large clubroom at 8; bridge and canasta; business girls over 21.

Tuesday, Sub-Deb Club; Valentine party, large clubroom, 7.30. Glee Club recital, recreation room.

Wednesday, Overseas Wives and Chatelaine Club meet.

Thursday, Thursday Ninters, English lesson in afternoon; supper meeting, square dancing class in recreation room.

Monday evening, leathercraft class meet in dining-room; Thursday dressmaking in dining-room at 7.30; square dancing in recreation room at 8.15.

Next fortnightly meeting of Co-ed Supper Club, Feb. 19, at 5.45 in large clubroom. Supper will be served and new members will be welcomed.

It is the season when home desserts like bread puddings are great favorites with the family. This fruited bread pudding is different from the usual because it has raisin bread crumbs stirred into the butter and brown sugar mixture that is poured over prunes and baked. It's delicious served warm with hot lemon sauce.

One cup cooked prunes, 2 eggs, 1/2 cup brown sugar (packed), 2 cups soft raisin bread crumbs, 2 tablespoons melted butter or margarine, 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract.

Lemon sauce—1/2 cup water, 1 tablespoon cornstarch, 1/2 cup granulated sugar, few grains salt, 1/4 teaspoon grated lemon rind, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, 1 tablespoon butter or margarine.

Pit prunes and place in bottom of greased 1-quart baking dish. Beat eggs until light, and gradually beat in sugar. Stir in bread crumbs, butter and vanilla. Pour over prunes. Bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) 30 minutes. Serve warm with warm lemon sauce.

Lemon sauce: Heat water. Blend together cornstarch sugar and salt, and stir into water. Cook and stir until clear and slightly thickened. Remove from heat and blend in lemon rind, juice and butter. Serves five.

compliments from all the girls and you'll have lots of requests for the recipe.

## QUEEN OF HEARTS

Meringue—Four egg whites, 1 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon cream of tartar.

Beat the egg whites and cream of tartar until stiff. Gradually fold in the sifted sugar. Line cookie sheet with unglazed brown paper. Trace a heart shape on the paper. Pour meringue on heart. Bake at 275 degrees F. for 60 to 80 minutes. Place on heart-shaped cardboard backing to prevent cracking. Cool and fill.

Lemon Filling—Four egg yolks, 5 tablespoons lemon juice, 1 tablespoon grated lemon peel, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 cup whipping cream.

Beat the egg yolks lightly. Add the fresh lemon juice, peel and sugar. Cook in double boiler until very stiff. Cool. Whip the cream and mix in lemon filling.

Spread on meringue. Decorate edges with coconut tinted with red food coloring. Garnish with lemon slices. Store in refrigerator 12 to 24 hours. Serves 10-12.

## 75 Persons Aided By Royal Brides, Dinner Meeting Told

Members of Royal Bride Chapter, L.O.D.E., earned praise from municipal regent, Mrs. J. L. Ford, at their annual banquet and meeting Thursday evening at the Monterey for child and family work in aiding some 75 needy persons, and most important, their personal contact with these people.

Child and family welfare report showed that a dozen boxes of apples, donated by Mrs. H. S. Gibson, Duncan, were distributed to needy families and to institutions. Large hampers, valued at \$51, were given to four families at Christmas, and members assisted a young widow with four dependents.

Postwar convener, Mrs. Edna Moody, stated 47 garments, valued at \$40, were turned into Municipal Chapter to be forwarded to adopted children's hospitals; two quilts, value at \$2, and 16 miscellaneous articles at \$4.80.

Mrs. Moody added that 800 magazines had been distributed to institutions and hospitals.

## ADOPTED SCHOOL

The chapter's adopted school at Cobble Hill received four visits, gifts of candy, oranges and cookies, also a junior encyclopedia and other books, educational convener, Mrs. Peggy Freethy, reported.

An interest was also taken in Belmont High School, and gifts of records and set of 12 etchings of authors and poets presented.

Donation of \$50 was made to Bursary Fund. Total for education work was \$60.24.

Cash-balance for the year was \$172.38, treasurer Miss Bernice Edwarson reported. Total disbursements were \$655.39, and receipts, \$781.86.

Secretary, Miss Christine Houston, listed chapter activities as sale of tickets for fashion show; court whist drive in April; annual Mother's Day tea; garden party and bazaar; sale of Christmas cards and wrappings amounting to \$50.83.

Donations included \$50, educational purposes; \$24, endowment fund; \$5, work in India; \$35, nights and face clothes for overseas hospitals; distribution of flowers and renewal of magazine subscriptions to Veterans' hospital.

Other reports were given by Mrs. Edna Hadfield, Echoes; Miss Viola Sands, standard bearer;

Miss Cumber, secretary of the Society for the Overseas Settlement of British Women, made the trip discover opportunities for women who want to emigrate to Canada.

The first group of six former army girls, ranging in age from 22 to 28, are scheduled to go to a fruit farm and canning factory near Niagara Falls, Ont.

Miss Cumber said.

"If the scheme is a success and other farmers in the district would like the help of British girls we are ready to send more."

Miss Cumber, who said her home had sent 30 girls to Canada last year and that it was hoped to settle about 75 there this year, spent several days in Victoria late last fall, exploring possibilities of placements on Vancouver Island.

St. John's—Members of St. John's A.Y.P.A. attended a meeting of the Bible Society at First Baptist Church when a film on the Bible was shown. Tuesday, the annual Valentine's dance will be held in the upper Crystal Ballroom, with Len Acres' orchestra in attendance. Dancing will be from 9 to 12.

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Victoria Chapter, Registered Nurses' Association, B.C., will meet Tuesday at 7:45 in St. Joseph's Hospital, Nurses' Home. Speaker will be Mrs. Margaret Botsford, assistant registrar of R.N.A., B.C., whose subject will be "Recent Developments in Registration Procedure." Mrs. Botsford is a graduate of Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal.

## Handcraft Exhibit At House Opening

Women's Institutes of Victoria district have been invited to arrange a handcraft display in the rotunda of the Parliament Buildings in connection with the forthcoming opening of Parliament. At its February meeting Monday afternoon, Lake Hill Institute authorized Mrs. G. W. Massey and Mrs. E. Glover to assemble exhibits and take charge of details in connection with the display.

Mrs. W. Webster was in the chair.

Mrs. R. Mercer read from a recent issue of "Scottish Home and Country" a description of the presentation of a gift of hand-made quilts, rugs, and cushions to H.R.H. Princess Elizabeth during an early winter visit of the Royal Family to Birkhall, Inverness-shire.

A letter from one of the English women's institute members gave a detailed picture of an English farm woman's average day with poultry, rabbits, and garden. She enclosed a package of delphinium seeds which were distributed among members.

Reports included Mrs. E. Glover, weekly dances in Lake Hill community hall; Mrs. R. Myles, mid-weekly card parties which will be resumed Feb. 14.

It was decided to take out membership with the Victoria Horticultural Society, following Mrs. G. W. Massey's report on a new series of classes under their sponsorship.

Mrs. G. F. Greenwell and Miss E. Bruce were named delegates to the annual meeting of Victoria Local Council of Women. Mrs. A. S. Moffat was named tea convener for the year.

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**BADLY POT-HOLED SAANICH ROADS**, due for resurfacing in the late spring, get treatment from graders to make them passable. This scene, on Cedar Hill Crossroad by Cedar Hill School, is to be repeated over all roads torn up for reconstruction last year and left over winter without topcoats. Municipal Engineer H. D. Dawson has told the council, as a result of flood of complaints, that good-surface roads will be result. Contract calls for the surfacing to be completed by June 30.

## Labrador Iron Firms Want St. Lawrence Seaway Built

By FORBES RHUDE  
Canadian Press Business Editor

The people behind the development of Labrador iron ore figure that building of the St. Lawrence Seaway would double their market.

They are going ahead now with the idea that they can sell to the United States 10,000,000 tons of ore yearly. But, unless the seaway is built, the American middle west—the largest market on the continent—will remain inaccessible to them. If they had access to that market they believe they could sell another 10,000,000 tons yearly.

W. H. Durrell, general manager, Labrador Mining and Exploration Co. Ltd., outlined the situation members of the Toronto Stock Exchange Thursday.

### DECLARED NEEDED

He said the U.S. market is necessary to Labrador development because Canada's own present consumption is only

### Fare Increase By B.C.E. System Called Illegal

**VANCOUVER (CP)**—The "interim fare increase" granted the B.C. Electric last June 18 was called "illegal" Thursday by solicitors for the Metropolitan Utilities Association.

The association, composed of a group of young Vancouver businessmen, is one of three organizations opposing the fare hike.

The increase is being opposed by the New Veterans' Branch, Canadian Legion, and the Civic Reform Committee.

M.U.A. lawyers, appearing before the Public Utilities Commission at its opening Thursday, said that under Section 132 of the Public Utilities Act, no rate fixed by the commission is valid until it has been approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

"I have been informed that no such order-in-council has been passed at any time relative to the present question of the increases," M.U.A. lawyer Graham Darling said. "Therefore the interim increase is invalid."

The City of Vancouver is not opposing the increase.

The hearing continued today.

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### Praise Conservation

**LONDON (Reuter)**—The Times of London Thursday praised steps taken by Canada and United States to preserve the trumpeter swan, the largest North American wildfowl. The newspaper said that in 15 years the number of swans increased from about 73 to more than 1,000, in Canada and even more in the United States.

The United States is not dependent on Canada for iron ore. As an alternative it could be obtained from Liberia, Chile, Venezuela and Brazil.

It is possible improved ways may be found of treating low-grade ore (taconites), of which there are millions of tons in the Mesabi Range in Minnesota.

Labrador ore is attractive, not only because it is high-grade, but because it is located in a friendly country with a stable government, and could be available by protected seaway in time of war.

Labrador ore interests have made their customers their partners, and they hope this will assure a future market. Six United States steel companies have been brought into its financing.

These are Armcroft Steel Corporation, Hanna Coal and Ore Corporation, National Steel Corporation, Republic Steel Corporation, Wheeling Steel Corporation, and the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company, in association with Hollinger Consolidated Gold Mines Ltd.

These companies, together with the Labrador Mining and Exploration Co. Ltd., and North Shore Exploration Co. Ltd., compose the Iron Ore Company of Canada, formed recently for the purpose of bringing Labrador ore into production. The management will continue to be directed by Hollinger-Hanna, who have directed the project in the past.

**Back In Service**

The Ss. Princess Mary returned to service Friday night with a new starboard propeller.

The Canadian Pacific steamer, whose stern swung onto the beach in a high wind at Sturdy Bay, Galiano Island, Tuesday evening, came out of the R.C.N. drydock at Esquimalt Thursday to make her usual Westview-Powell River-Union Bay-Comox run out of Vancouver.

Capt. O. J. Williams, manager of the C.P.R.'s B.C. Coast Service, said the only damage to the ship was three bent blades on the starboard propeller.

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## Many Shifts Of Pastors Planned Soon

The spring sessions of the Victoria Presbytery of the United Church of Canada were held this week in Metropolitan Church and were attended by a large number of ministerial and lay delegates from the many pastorates throughout Vancouver Island. Rev. W. R. Ashford of Centennial Church presided as chairman of Presbytery, and Rev. E. S. Fleming of Sidney ably assisted as secretary.

An unusual number of changes in ministerial appointments are expected to take place at the end of the church year, June 30. These include: Rev. J. G. G.

Bompas of Alberni; Rev. W. R. B. Nixon of Cumberland; Rev. A. A. Burnett of Haliburton St. church, Nanaimo; Rev. J. C. Jackson of Victoria West and James Bay Churches, Victoria. In addition to these, intimation was received from the following that they had now reached the age of retirement from the active ministry: Rev. E. F. Church of Port Alberni, and Rev. James Dewar of Salt Spring Island.

### YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

Special interest centred around the work among the young people, and an interesting address was given by Rev. R. A. McLaren describing the outstanding work being carried on at Naramata Training School, Naramata, B.C., of which he is principal. The speaker pointed out that this institution was meeting in a most effective way the need of training young people in Christian leadership, whereby the students would afterwards return home and

make effective Christian contribution to church and community activities. Not a few of the students have continued their studies with a view to entering the ministry.

Inasmuch as Victoria Presbytery is now the only Presbytery in B.C. without the facilities of a summer camping place for young people, instructions were issued to the Young People's Camp Council to procure a camp site. Various sites were taken under consideration, and a final decision is now pending.

In connection with the report of the Social Service Committee, the Presbytery endorsed the resolution being circulated throughout the district, making appeal of the Attorney-General to arrange for an alteration in the Motor Vehicle Act of B.C. whereby those applying for a driver's

license, would enter into agreement to allow a blood test to be made in the event of an accident, this test to show the alcohol content of the blood at the time the accident would take place.

Great interest was taken in the reports from the Overseas Missions of the church, especially as they pertained to the work in Africa, India, Korea, China and Japan.

During the election of Presbytery officers for the forthcoming church year beginning July 1, the Rev. C. R. McGillivray, M.A., of Belmont United Church, Victoria, was unanimously elected as chairman of Presbytery. Rev.

E. S. Fleming, B.A., B.D., of Sidney United Church, was elected secretary, and W. I. Land of Victoria as treasurer. The sessions of Presbytery closed with prayer, led by Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D.

**EXPORTING MORE CARS**

**LONDON (CP)**—Britain's automotive exports still are on the increase to hard-currency areas and devaluation has given

"a real impetus" to dollar sales. This was reported Thursday by R. Gresham Cook, director of the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders.

## Women Who Sleep With Eyes Open Are Not Insane

things around you. You then say, "I'm sleepy. It's time to go to bed." Sometimes during this drowsy state you feel as if you were floating. And then you come to with a start. This brings you back, temporarily at least, to the waking state.

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# I Love My Doctor

By Evelyn Barkins

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## CHAPTER 30

I KNEW something would happen," my mother wept, standing mournfully over my sickbed so that I began to listen for a eulogy. "It must have been some exposure that night the burglar came."

John always marvels at the perverse kind of satisfaction it seems to give most people, if they can find something concrete to blame an illness on. Every cold has a definite, identifiable draft for a sponsor; every headache has a specific parent, too, from sinus to shrimps ("I knew they were spoiled!"). Indeed, there are no orphan complaints.

John loves to tell about the old man of 70, who in the final throes of a coronary thrombosis (formerly erroneously called "acute indigestion") shouted to his wife with whom he had just celebrated his golden wedding anniversary: "I'd never have gotten sick if I didn't eat the soup you made last night!"

If making a scapegoat out of a harmless drunk made Mother happy, I would be the last to object.

## NOT WANTED

"Aren't you going to take her to a hospital?" my father, being a man of efficiency, asked next.

"I won't go," I shrieked, sitting straight up in bed. Never again will I laugh at the many people who protest to the bitter end that they "will die in their own beds." Not that I thought of really dying. The greatest safeguard against such hysteria

that anyone can have is a good, strong ego, like mine, which says in moments of crisis, "This can't be happening to me!" and ends by coating everything with a protective layer of unreality.

But my mother ignored me and spoke to John as if we weren't there. "She can't stay here," she said. "Who'll take care of her?"

Freda, who had come in as soon as she had heard I was sick, via the neighborhood grapevine, said: "I'll take care of her, if you like. I was once supposed to be a nurse, and I'd love to help Mrs. B. Besides, I'll only charge half of the regular fee since I'm not an R.N., and I'll cook, too."

"Sold," I exclaimed so suddenly, that my mother wept: "She's delirious," and John ran to feel my pulse.

And from there on, we were off on a rather unconventional, but satisfying illness. I would like to be able to report that I remembered every detail, and able to recount it like Irvin S. Cobb and his operations. Or else, I certainly would like to be able to announce that I entered the romantic kind of Hollywood fog, strictly reserved for heroines. Unfortunately, there was neither the conventional blow-by-blown description nor the respectable, blank coma for me; for although chronological sequence was gone, many basic facts remained.

## LET ME LISTEN

To begin with, John's friends at the hospital heard the news about my illness and hurried over. Each man of them behaved as if he had never heard a real pneumonia before, and insisted

upon a personal examination to confirm the diagnosis. "Right here," the visiting diagnostician would say, happily pounding my chest as if it were a back door on a speakeasy.

"Let me listen," another would say, coming forward as to a symphony concert. Then after a moment he, too, would pronounce triumphantly, "That's the spot all right!"

Then they would discuss "the case" like museum curators over a newly discovered mummy.

"Marked pallor," one would say, making me feel like Ophelia.

"Shallow respirations," another would declare, until I began to feel it was just a matter of minutes before they'd hang the Rest-in-Peace wreath about my neck.

Finally, I said to John: "I can't stand it any more! Maybe they mean well, and maybe I wouldn't mind so much if it were my toenails they kept looking at, but as it is, I . . ."

Just then, another doctor came smiling into the doorway.

"Get him out of here," I shrieked, hiding in my bed.

## MRS. B. IS RAVING

"He's gone," John said after a brief minute, and so he had. But with him had gone the information that poor Mrs. B. was out of her head and raving. "Isn't it too bad?" everyone said gleefully in the staff room.

(To be continued)

nursing rolled up in her stocking for emergency consultation, and she found my commonsense, lack of co-operation very disturbing.

Each morning, for instance, she wanted to change the linen. I held out for an extra day.

"We don't have enough sheets for daily changes," I said, "and soon I'll be lying on the bare mattress."

"Hospitals change every day," she replied dogmatically.

## FREDA HAD IDEAS

The battle raged good-humoredly from morning to morning, with the final score an even tie. On the day that Freda won, though, the resultant bedmaking was a Houdini exhibition. She was supposed to be the master "now you see it, now you don't" magician, while I was assigned to the role of star trapeze artist, and was often left clinging by a single bar into empty space, without a safety net.

"I'm failing!" I would yell, and poor Freda would haul me back aboard by my nightgown. "You've pinned me under" was another SOS, and once, when the mad scramble was finished, we were all hilariously delighted to find that the clean sheet was on the floor in a heap, with the soiled one neatly and firmly tucked back on the bed.

President Roosevelt's 10,000-mile aerial journey to and from Casablanca for the historic meeting with Prime Minister Churchill, in January, 1943, was the longest air odyssey ever taken by a head of state.

WE'VE MISSED YOUR PERSONAL FIDDLE AROUND THE POPCORN BOWL, MAJOR! DON'T TELL ME YOU'VE BEEN DOWN HERE STARING AT A SHOE! WHAT'S UP? ARE YOU PLANNING TO PROCESS IT TO TAKE THE PAIN OUT OF A KICK IN THE PANTS?

EGAD, NO, TWIGGS! MY SCIENTIFIC MIND IS GRAPPLING WITH AN INTRICATE PROBLEM— AND ONLY BY TURNING ON THE FULL POWER OF CONCENTRATION CAN I SOLVE IT! PLEASE DON'T ASK ME TO DILIGENCE IT UNTIL I IRON IT OUT!

OUT OUR WAY  
WELL, IF HE WAS ONLY FAKIN' WARMTH, HE'D REALLY WARM NOW—BUT BETTHATHEADWILL BUNDLE UP NOW, WHEN HE SHOULD TAKE MORE OFF!

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J. R. WILLIAMS 2-10  
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OVERCOOKED

COULD IT BE AN AUTOMATIC SHOE-TYING FOR FAT MEN?

Run upstairs, Bingo, and tell Myrtle that dinner is ready.

COME INTO THE BATHROOM AND DON'T SIT ON ANY BODY!

But we was all trying to tell you dinner was ready.

OH . . . I thought he said we had a sore throat.

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JUST THE MAN I'M LOOKING FOR. AN IDEAL CONTESTANT!

HEY! WHAT GIVES? MY FRIEND, YOU'RE A TREMENDOUS LUCKY MAN. YOUR NAME?

HURRY UP, PLEASE, WHAT'S YOUR NAME?

WHO ARE YOU, THE FBI?

NO, NO, NO! I'M BILLINGTON AND THE FAMOUS TV COMMANDER AND YOU'RE OUR NEW CONTESTANT ON OUR SIDEWALK GIVEAWAY CONTEST!

YEAH? WELL, YOU CAN KEEP THE SIDEWALK, I DON'T WANT IT.

READY, GANG? . . . DOES EVERYBODY KNOW THEIR MAN?

"MEN" HE CALLS 'EM. OUTDOOR STRUNGERS COULD HOLD THESE HAYSEEDS SCORELESS!

ARENA

...AN'DON'T FERGOT OUR SCORIN' PLAY ON TH' OPENIN' JUMP, BUBBUB!

UH . . . WHO NEEDS T'JUMP?

READY, GANG? . . . DOES EVERYBODY KNOW THEIR MAN?

MOMMY: MUMMY! COME QUICK!

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SHE MISSED ME! SHE LOVES ME!

MOMMY: MUMMY! COME QUICK!

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FREDDIE HAS SOMETHING! DOING JUST WHAT I FEEL LIKE DOING IS MORE FUN!

WITH MY LUCK, I'LL PROBABLY WIND UP WITH—

FRANKENSTEIN'S MOTHER-IN-LAW!

DID YOU NOT SEE A SIGN IN THE LOBBY IT SAID A PICTURE YOU WILL NEVER FORGET?

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Two dollars and two bits!

GONE! I GUESS THAT FIXES US UP JUNE!

NOW IF LARD CAN BUY HILDAS LUNCH, EVERYTHING WILL BE SWELL!

HE CAN'T REMEMBER WHAT HILDAS LUNCH LOOKS LIKE!

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HELLO, ED! WE JUST SAW A HONEY OF A MOVIE DOWN AT THE—WHAT WAS THE NAME OF THAT THEATRE?

I NEVER CAN RECALL THE NAMES OF THOSE NEIGHBORHOOD THEATRES YOU JUST DROP IN.

I CAN LOOK IT UP IN THE PAPER IF YOU TELL ME THE NAMES OF THE PICTURE.

CAN YOU TELL HIM THE NAME OF THE PICTURE, VI?

IT WAS — LET'S SEE — SOMETHING ABOUT MADNESS IN QUEST OF MADNESS — NO, THAT WASN'T MADMAN MADHOUSE — NO!

WELL, YOU SAW IT, TOOK THEM THROUGH THE NAMES THROUGH SO FAST I MISSED IT.

ARTHUR FOLWELL AND KIN PLATT 2-10

COOL! WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN THIS CRAZY AMAZON PLACE?

DR. WORMUG THOUGHT YOU MIGHT NEED HELP!

IT MUSTA LOOKED THAT WAY AFTER I LET THAT DINGO-DOG SATYR RIG ME UP IN ONE OF HIS GOAT-LEGGED OUTFITS!

OH, BY THE WAY, ALLEY, ISN'T THAT YOURS?

EH? OH, YEH, IT WAS PART OF MY SATYR'S ACT!

AW, SOME KIND OF A GOOFY MUSICAL INSTRUMENT SEEMS TO BE AN ESSENTIAL ITEM OF SATYR EQUIPMENT!

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DEEPLY

REMEMBER, FOLKS, MY LONG GUARANTEE.

SHALL WE TAKE IT, MABEL?

LET'S DO, JOHN.

CONFUSED? I'LL SCARE THE LIFE OUT OF A FELLER!

TOO LATE! HE GOT ME.

YOU HAVE WONDERFUL CARS HERE. I'D LIKE TO KNOW WHAT YOU DON'T EXPLAIN MORE ABOUT THEM IN YOUR ADS. YOU COULD ATTRACT MORE PEOPLE WHO WANT GOOD CARS.

PERHAPS I'LL HELP YOU IN FINDING THE RIGHT CAR.

DID YOU MAKE THE SALE, SAM?

WELL! I'LL BE A MONKEY'S UNCLE!

SURPRISED, PERK'S!

SURE DID. COME IN, PERK'S! I'LL GO IDEAS. BOY I'LL TELL YOU THE WHOLE COCKEYED WORLD HOW I REMODEL USED CARS.

IT'S A GOOGEY MUSICAL INSTRUMENT SEEMS TO BE AN ESSENTIAL ITEM OF SATYR EQUIPMENT!

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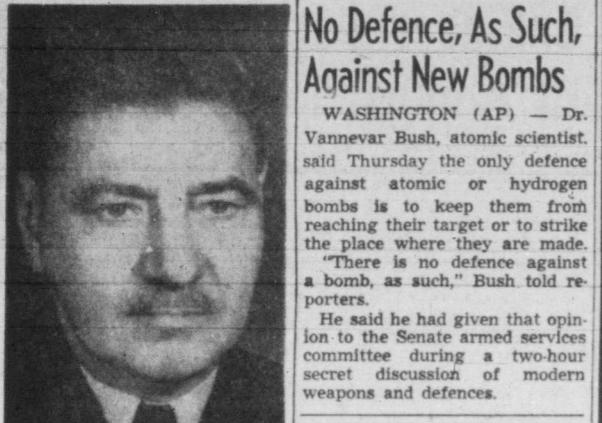


## Book Gives Advice To U.S. People On Best Buildings For Atom Age

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States government made public Thursday a grim primer in construction problems of the atomic age.

It issued a report entitled "Damage from Atomic Explosion and Design of Protective Structures," dealing in matter-of-fact language with requirements for buildings which might have to undergo the tremendous force of a nearby A-bomb blast.

The best advice it could offer builders was to erect important structures as far from strategic areas as possible, or put them underground.



### No Defence, As Such, Against New Bombs

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dr. Vannevar Bush, atomic scientist, said Thursday the only defence against atomic or hydrogen bombs is to keep them from reaching their target or to strike the place where they are made.

"There is no defence against a bomb, as such," Bush told reporters.

He said he had given that opinion to the Senate armed services committee during a two-hour secret discussion of modern weapons and defences.

**POSSIBLE SENATOR** is Hon. Charles G. (Chubby) Power. He is regarded as the leading candidate for the Upper House vacancy caused by the recent death of Senator E. C. St. Pere. Mr. Power, wartime air minister, holds the longest record of Commons membership in the present M.P. list. He has represented Quebec South as Liberal member without interruption since 1917. (CP Photo.)

### PUBLIC PRINTER

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### Plastic, Washable Choo-Choo Feeders

**1.29**

Clever feeding outfit for children in durable, easily washed plastic. Hood of cab contains engineer spoon and fireman fork. Coal tender is feeding dish with funnel drinking glass. White with red, pink and blue.

### Just Arrived! Men's "Greb" Work Boots

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Delightfully tailored from easy-to-tailor rayon crepe. Large inserts on white, pink or blue. Sizes 32 to 38

**4.98**

### Smoothly Fitting Rayon Knit Briefs

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**1.59**

BAY Lingerie, Second Floor

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## Haas, Palmer Share Lead In Texas Golf

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UP)—Slim Freddie Haas Jr. and chunky Johnny Palmer led a massive field of 313 golfers into the second round of the \$10,000 Texas Open golf tournament today, protecting a one-stroke lead.

Haas, fifth-ranking money winner from New Orleans, and Palmer jumped in front yesterday, scoring three-under-par 68's for the first 18 holes.

One stroke behind the leaders were seven others, including three hopeful amateurs, with 69's. Eleven more finished the first round with a one-under-par 70, with 14 equaling par.

A high wind and chilly weather bothered most golfers in the opening round.

## Thunderbirds Given Edge Over Rep Side

According to an expert, and he's willing to back his prediction up with 3 to 1 odds, University of British Columbia Thunderbirds will defeat Victoria's Crimson Tide in the opening game of the McKechnie Cup series at Macdonald Park Saturday at 2:30.

Reason given for this opinion is that the students pack far too much experience for the locals untried fifteen and despite the long enforced layoff which hampered both teams, the students will be a better conditioned squad.

Granted that this is the case, there are still a few qualified observers in the city who feel that this year's local rep team is capable of pulling an upset.

They point to the fact that the Crimson Tide is young and fast, has a heavy yet aggressive set of forwards and on paper rates as one of the best-balanced teams to represent the local rugby union in the past few years.

### HIGH SCHOOL FINAL

Preceding the McKechnie Cup game and scheduled to be played on the lower field at 1:30 will be the British Columbia High School championship match between Oak Bay High School and Vancouver Tech.

Comparative scores give the Oak Bay squad an even rating against the mainlanders. Oak

### City Senior B Cage Final Opens Tonight

The city senior B men's basketball final opens at the High School gym tonight with unbeaten Knott and Elford clashing with Navy in the first game of a two-game total-point series.

Navy surprised by upsetting the defending champion Brentwood Aces in the quarterfinals, while Knott and Elford eliminated Fletcher's in the semifinal round.

An interscholastic game between Victoria High School Totems and Victoria College precedes the main attraction with Vic High girls clashing with Comets of the women's senior B division in the preliminary at 7.

### Hockey Scores

#### A.H.L.

Cincinnati, 6; Indianapolis, 5.

#### U.S.H.L.

Kansas City, 3; St. Paul, 3.

#### W.C.S.H.L.

Edmonton, 9; Saskatoon, 3.

**NORTHERN SASK. JR.**

Humboldt, 3; Prince Albert, 7.

**CAFE BRETON SR.**

Sydney, 5; North Sydney, 3.

**MARITIME SR.**

Moncton, 1; Halifax, 9.

**QUEBEC JR.**

Montreal Canadiens, 4; Mon-

real Royals, 1.

**THUNDER BAY JR.**

Port Arthur Juniors, 7; Fort

William Canadians, 2.

**QUEBEC SR.**

Ottawa, 6; Shawinigan Falls, 5.

### ISLAND CAGE PLAYOFF

McMorrans Intermediate B boys of the Saanich Basketball League will play at Duncan tomorrow night in the first game of the lower island semifinal playoffs. Second game of the total-point series is scheduled for Sooke Thursday night.

### Navy Upsets Nanaimo Squad; Locals Lose

One hockey-winning streak continued but another was smashed at the Memorial Arena last night.

Vancouver Lions are still holders of the unbroken mark today following a 3 to 1 triumph over the Victoria All-Stars junior club, repeating a victory previously scored over the locals on mainland ice.

The losing club was Nanaimo of the Island Junior League, who bowed to the Royal Canadian Navy squad 9 to 3. It was Nanaimo's first defeat in league play. The Vancouver-Victoria game was decided in the first

### Draw Released For City Tenpin Tourney

Draw for the city tenpin bowling doubles and singles championships at Gibson's Bow ladrome over the week-end.

**MIDGETS TRAVEL**

A midget all-star club from the Victoria Legion will play in Nanaimo Sunday. Team will leave from the Memorial Arena at 1:30. Strip may be secured at the arena tomorrow night at 7:30.

Team follows: Makowski, Hollingsworth, Hall, Donahue, Sheebeck, Nichol, Leechman, Cooper, W. Cunningham, Dawson, Large, Goodal, Forrester, Miller.

### Toronto Applies For 1954 Empire Games

TORONTO (CP)—Toronto Thursday officially extended an invitation to the British Empire Games Association to hold its 1954 games here.

The invitation was a reply to a query by the association as to whether the city was financially able to stage the games.

It was decided at Auckland, N.Z., where the 1950 games are currently being played, that Canada would be host in 1954.



### Anglers Have New President

Capt. A.C. Cruchley, left, taking over presidential reins of Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association, is offered best wishes by retiring presy Dave Gray.

### Boston Hockey Leaders Reply To Conn Smythe

BOSTON (AP)—Replies by Toronto's Conn Smythe that Boston doesn't know how to sell or publicize hockey, Weston Adams, president of the Boston Bruins, said today: "We never have high-pressed or phoned our fans into buying tickets."

At a press conference attended by Boston hockey writers, Adams apologized for an "uncomplimentary" remark he made at Wednesday night's pre-game hockey dinner when asked to comment on the statements by Smythe, managing director of the Toronto club.

At that time he said: "I'm too shocked to say anything now. I might have something to say later, as my father advised me when I was a little boy not to get into a contest."

Adams and Art Ross, Bruins general manager, both denied vigorously that Ross had been "gagged" by Adams, as some Torontonians charged.

"That's a lot of nonsense," asserted Adams.

"It is not true," said Ross. "That's foolish, he couldn't gag me if he wanted to."

### Four V.H.S. Clubs Victorious; House Four Heads Loop

#### LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
House Four	3	0	113	116	61	6
House Two	2	1	112	116	61	5
House Three	2	1	116	76	4	4
Esquimalt Reds	3	1	83	52	4	3
Mount View	2	1	81	72	4	2
Mount View	2	1	81	72	4	2
Oak Bay Greens	3	1	89	84	4	2
Oak Bay Whites	3	1	101	90	0	2
Esquimalt Whites	0	3	50	117	0	0
Mount Douglas	0	3	58	149	0	0

Victoria High's hoop squads had a field day in the Interhigh Senior Basketball League yesterday as all four houses emerged victorious. Result leaves House Four alone at the top of the heap with six teams deadlocked for second place, including the other three V.H.S. entries.

House Four encountered Oak Bay Greens at the Cranmore Road gym and received a bad scare before finally pulling ahead to win 44 to 34. Greens were led by a single point at halftime and only a strong finish by the league-leaders enabled them to emerge victorious. Pete Zarry and George Woollett were high for winners with 14 and 13 points, respectively, while Kenny Barnes tossed in 12 for Oak Bay.

New York took a 2 to 1 lead in the first period and led 3 to 2 going into the finale. Tony Leswick, Pentti Lund, Buddy O'Connor, Edgar LaPrade and Nick Mickoski shared the goal-getting honors for Rangers. Bert Olmstead scored two for Chicago, the other coming from Bep Guidolin.

**EGAN TOUGH**

Pat Egan, New York defence-

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**SYRACUSE, N.Y.**—Steve Beloilo, 160, New York, outpointed Buri Charity, 159.5, Youngstown (10).

**NEW YORK**—Joey Atria, 144 1/2, New York, outpointed Jimmy Donnelly, 144 1/2, New York (8).

## Athans Captures Title After Thrilling Duel

AUCKLAND, N.Z. (CP)—Dr. George Athans of Vancouver closed out his competitive swimming career tonight with a bauble he has sought for 12 years—the British Empire Games springboard-diving title. It was Canada's sixth triumph in the week-long games that end Saturday.

He turned the trick before 5,000 rain-drenched spectators at the open-air Olympic pool with a last-dive plunge that shot him past Scotland's Peter Healy.

The handsome doctor's performance was the shining light of the day for Canada although the men's 330-yard relay team

came within a whisker of snatching a first from England. The Canadians were beaten by a touch.

Dr. Athans, who finished third in both the springboard and diving championships at the 1938 games in Sydney, Australia, wanted "this one" before he retires in the summer to go into private practice. He trailed Healy until the last dive—a difficult one and a half somersaults forward standing—and it was a winner all the way.

He knifed into the water with hardly a ripple and the judges gave him 18.36 marks, the highest of the competition, for a 169.21 point total against Healy's 168.8. Jack Stewart of New Zealand was third with 159.76 points.

### SUCCESS STORY

The Canadian doctor's victory, which closed out the games' aquatic events, was a success story in itself. Five years ago his left arm became paralyzed when he broke it during a diving stunt at Kelowna, B.C., and his career appeared finished but he started an intensive program of swimming and diving that gradually worked the muscles back into shape.

The other aquatic event with Canadian entries—the women's tower diving—ended with Toronto's Evelyn Buchanan in fourth position, one better than Lynda Adams Hunt, attractive Vancouver housewife.

The all-Montreal fencing team received a second-place silver medal in the women's team sabre and three Canadian boxers won third positions. Only one Canadian fighter saw action on the final games boxing card, flyweight Ronnie Muir of Toronto outpointed

Ann Heglin displays big smile after receiving lion's share of the silverware for catching the greatest number of big salmon in Saanich Inlet waters last year.

### Win Earnings Rangers N.H.L. Fourth Spot

The embattled Chicago Black Hawks today must have lost all hope of getting out of the cellar in the National Hockey League.

They were beaten 5 to 3 by the New York Rangers in

Thursday night's only game, coming on top of the 9 to 2

shelling suffered by the Hawks at Detroit on Wednesday.

Last Sunday they were edged by Canadiens and then came the Wednesday game which put Coach Charlie Conacher on the defensive on two counts, for wrestling with the referee and for allegedly striking a Detroit hockey writer.

Last night's game puts Rangers into fourth spot, ahead of Boston Bruins, while the Hawks at the bottom still rest three full games back of the Bruins.

Hawks were missing veteran Doug Bentley, high-scoring centre whose left eye was still closed after the struggle at Detroit.

New York took a 2 to 1 lead in the first period and led 3 to 2 going into the finale. Tony Leswick, Pentti Lund, Buddy O'Connor, Edgar LaPrade and Nick Mickoski shared the goal-getting honors for Rangers. Bert Olmstead scored two for Chicago, the other coming from Bep Guidolin.

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Students Invade Vancouver

Over 100 students from the Victoria Normal School left for the mainland today on their annual athletic invasion of the Vancouver Normal School. Vancouverites will return the invasion March 10. Members of the local basketball team came, left to right, back row: P. O'Brien, Don Stainton, Evan Oakley, Paul Peul, Bill Bowater; middle row: Bill Cross, manager; Dick Wayling, Ken Wright, Ted Kirby, Hugh Farquhar, coach; front row: Paul Salva, Don Henderson, Gordie Munro.

## Cruchley Will Guide Anglers' Association

The 900-member Victoria-Saanich Inlet Anglers' Association Thursday night elected a new slate of officers to arrange their program of competitions for 1950 in Saanich Inlet.

Veteran fisherman Capt. Alfred C. Cruchley, 2530 Arbutus Drive, was the choice of the 75 members who attended the annual parley to preside in the president's chair for the year. He succeeds Dave Gray.

Stan Ball was the choice as first vice-president, while big "Tiny" Richards is the second vice-president. Pete Hill, the 1948 big-fish champion; Wil Wilson and Bill Hunter were named as directors. Trustees are Cliff Heglin, Frank Curtis and Harold Gert.

George "Joker" Patton was elected honorary president.

John D. Lund was returned as secretary and Fred Allen as treasurer.

Featured discussion of the evening was what type of fishing competition the members want for this year.

### "LADDER" IDEA OUT

Once again the "ladder" derby idea got an airing but was thrown out . . . and it looks like the old system of several derbies will carry on. This is up to the board of directors. The meeting gave the board power to shape the program.

Reports showed the association came through 1949 operations \$38 to the good, now having \$736 in cash in the bank and \$1,600 in bonds.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to Harry and Ethel Woolston for the fine work they had done in promoting the last Solarium derby to net a \$2,500 purse for the institution. It was the biggest sum ever gathered in a charity fishing derby.

One thing definite about the 1950 program is that the Solarium public derby will be run again, separate from the other meets.

### A WOMAN WAS TOPS

While it is usually a male angler who collects the lion's share of the silverware for catching the big salmon, it was different last night.

Mrs. Ann Heglin stepped into this limelight and walked off with a trio of cups and replicas—

## Prystai Takes Over Sixth Spot In Ice Scoring

Metro Prystai of Chicago Black Hawks picked up a single assist last night to move into undisputed possession of sixth place in the National Hockey League individual scoring race one point ahead of teammate Roy Conacher who went pointless.

Three Detroit Red Wings hold down the top positions, Ted Lindsay is first with 55 points made up of 18 goals and 37 assists.

Maurice Richard of Montreal Canadiens and Boston's Paul Ronty are deadlocked for fourth place with 44 points each. The fiery Canuck winger has 27 goals and 17 assists while Ronty has 25 assists.

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## British Coves, Villages Become Smuggling Centres

LONDON (Reuters)—Smuggling today has become such international big business that British customs officers collect about five times as much revenue from seized contraband and fines as before the war.

Get-rich-quick smuggling trips across the English Channel have turned peaceful coves and fishing villages on the south and east coasts into thriving smuggling centres. But the customs men's "booty" has increased accordingly, and is to be put up for sale soon.

The jewellery, gold cigarette cases, watches, liquors, cameras, fur coats, and nylons lifted from hundreds of men and women who have made smuggling their post-war profession will fetch a bigger amount than ever for the British treasury.

### PENALTIES \$693,300

During the last 12 months the courts have imposed penalties of \$223,650 (\$693,300), convicted 2,905 smugglers, and sent 59 to jail. In 1947 fines amounted to \$111,150.

Last year the British customs seized 31,208 consignments, including 19,857 pounds of tobacco

and 1,204 gallons of spirits. In 1948, 24,624 lots were confiscated against 22,489 in 1947 and 16,642 in 1946.

Ringleaders of the new gangs of get-rich-quick adventurers, seeking fat profits by running highly-taxed or prohibited goods rarely get caught. They use stooges, many of them ex-service officers, men who have found themselves restless after the war, and now smuggle because of the adventure.

To curb the serious increase in illegal trade between Britain and the continent, the customs want the courts to inflict fines equivalent to three times the value of captured articles, plus duty and purchase tax.

More widespread knowledge of navigation, gained during the war, has led more smugglers to take to the sea. Many operate from the south of France. They collect goods from Tangier and run them to a rendezvous off the Italian coast. Many carry arms to be used against competitors.

**ACTS OF PIRACY**

One customs official said: "We are back almost to the days of the 1850s. There is a great deal

of piracy among the smugglers. "But instead of sailing craft stealing into isolated spots, smugglers are using fast launches to run from coast to coast under the cover of darkness.

"The stuff they bring in is no longer stowed away in caves along the coast as it was in the old days, but it is whisked off in trucks immediately it is landed."

Smugglers find it more difficult to approach the British coast. The revenue cruiser Vigilant is fitted with the latest developments in radar. From secluded covers officers watch on her radar screen the movements of even the smallest craft for several miles.

So here the dodge is to use smartly-dressed men and women carrying the contraband in false-bottomed suitcases or to build compartments inside cars ferried across the channel.

Hundreds of imitation pearl necklaces sewn into the lining of a man's waistcoat were seized when customs searched an over-stout passenger. One smuggler came in carrying a £5,000 diamond in a false eye.

**LONDON, Ont. (CP)**—Premier Frost has advocated an early start on the large-scale Niagara and St. Lawrence River hydro projects to ensure Ontario of new power sources for industrial expansion.

## Maoris Debate Proposal To Dig Up Legendary Canoe

By J. C. GRAHAM

AUCKLAND, (CP) — Maoris in New Zealand are arguing about the advisability of digging up a sacred canoe which, tradition says, has been buried at Kawhia, on the west coast of the North Island, for 500 years.

It is the Tainui canoe, most famous of the five canoes in which the Maoris came to New Zealand in a great migration across the thousands of miles of open ocean about the year 1350.

The spot where it is reputed to lie is in a grove of manuka trees near the sea. Stones which the migrants are said to have erected to mark the bow and stern of the canoe still stand. They are enclosed with a fence to ensure that nobody walks on the sacred ground.

Some of New Zealand's leading Maori tribes are descended from the migrants who arrived in the Tainui canoe and the Maoris are convinced the petrified remains of the canoe still lie beneath the ground at Kawhia. They claim part of the hull was

uncovered many years ago in a landslide, but many Europeans regard the story as a myth.

A party of Europeans once attempted to dig up the canoe, but were prevented by local Maoris, traditional guardians of the relic which means so much in the history of the race.

Now, however, the Maoris are planning to uncover the remains as part of the celebrations to mark the 500th anniversary of the arrival of the race in New Zealand. The trouble is that nobody can be found with sufficient prestige to undertake the ceremony of uncovering the canoe.

A highly complicated and involved ceremony would be necessary before such a treasured relic could be disturbed.

Princess Te Paea, the greatest woman leader the Maoris have ever had and herself a descendant of the commander of the Tainui canoe, has been asked to undertake the task, but she has refused to disturb the remains. She says the place where the canoe lies is sacred and that it

would be an infringement of ancient Maoris law to desecrate the spot.

Many Europeans consider it would be inadvisable to search for the canoe. They think it preferable that the tradition should remain whether the canoe actually lies at Kawhia or not, and that if the effort were unsuccessful it would destroy a treasured legend to which large numbers of Maoris look with pride in tracing their ancestry.

There is more authenticity in another Tainui relic held by the Maoris of Mokau. They claim to possess the original anchor stone of the canoe. Certainly it has been handed down in the tribe for many generations and is jealously guarded. It has been set in concrete and is an object of veneration by visiting Maoris from all parts of the country.

### Prisoner Candidate

BELFAST (Reuters) — Hugh McAtee, former Adjutant-General of the Irish Republican Army, now serving 12 years in prison for treason and felony, has been nominated as a candidate in Britain's general election. He is to stand for Londonderry as a Sinn Fein (Republican) against the retiring Unionist (Conservative) member, Sir Ronald Ross.

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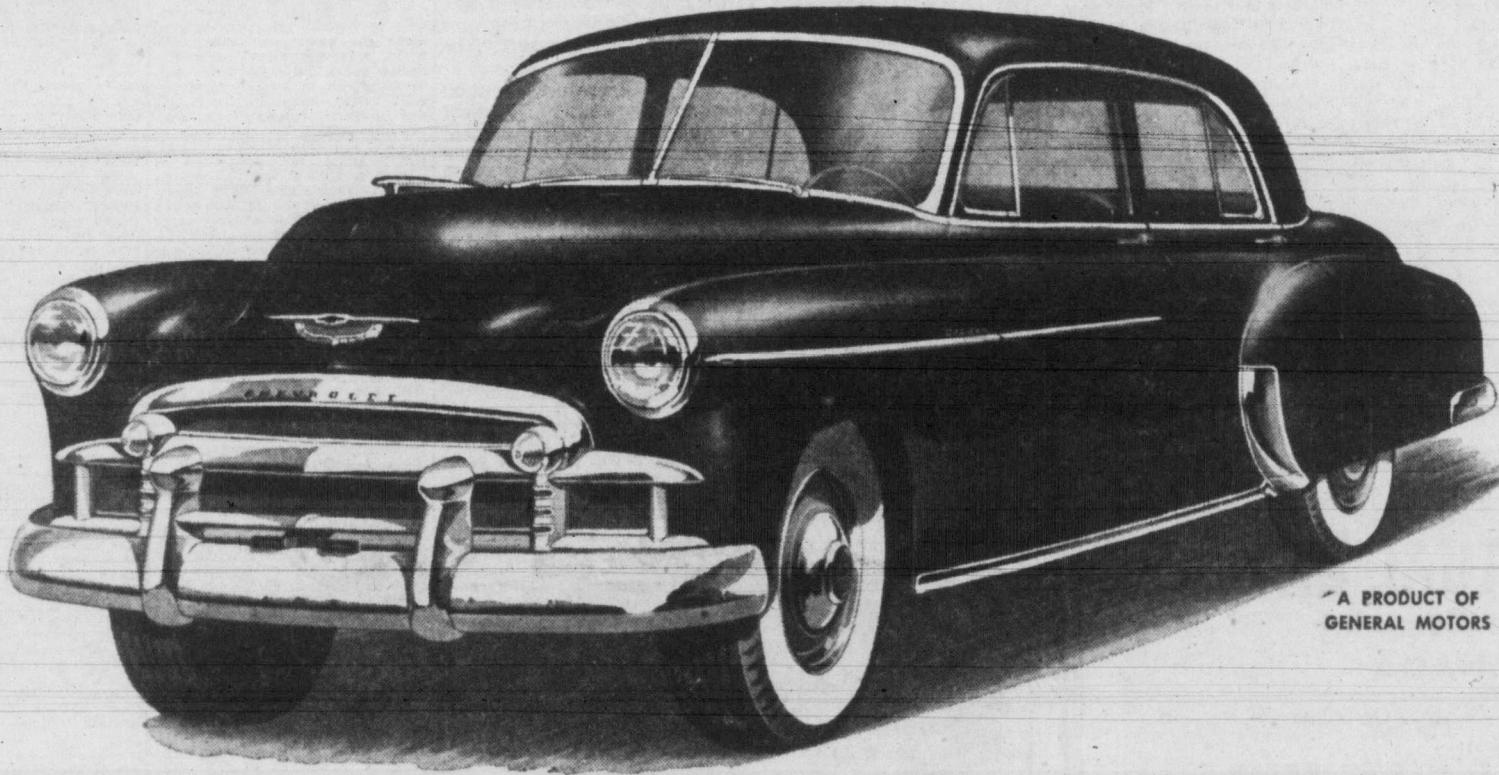
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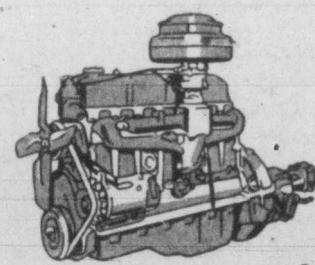
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PIERRE OEHLEN: He has a 150-pound cross to bear.

## Painter Plays Christ In Dutch Passion Play

TEGELEN, Holland — Pierre Oehlen, a youthful, Tegelen house-painter, is one of the most envied men in this small village in western Holland. He has been selected to play the Christus in Tegelen's historic Passion Play, which is being revived this year, for the first time since the war.

Visitors to Tegelen usually want to see the humble cottage where Oehlen lives. And Pierre, in his long hair and black beard, is a familiar sight as he walks through the village on his painting jobs. He is so imbued with the sacred spirit of his role, however, that, even during rehearsals, he carries the 150-pound wooden cross he brings to Golgotha during the play.

Five hundred villagers, all amateur actors, are cast in the four-hour presentation, which begins with Christ's entry into Jerusalem and ends with the crucifixion. Rehearsals have been going on for a year.

This is Oehlen's third time in the role. The play is ordinarily given every five years, but was not presented in 1945 because of war damage to the town. Oehlen spends his evenings reading the Bible. Each time he reads it, he says, he gains new insight into his part.

Since the war, the stage has been rebuilt and the seating capacity increased to 6,000. The costumes have been checked, and some completely remade. The scenery has been redesigned and rebuilt.

To accommodate visitors, private homes in Tegelen, the nearby cities of Vendo and Elsloo, and scores of small villages will be thrown open. Special buses and trains are planned to bring visitors from all over Europe.

### ALL AMATEURS, NO MAKE-UP

No professional actors are allowed; nor are the amateurs permitted to use wigs or facial make-up. The women in the play must be unmarried, and the moral character of all the actors must be unimpeachable.

In the cast are ordinary villagers—painters, factory workers, farmers, school teachers, Andreas Franssen, 63-year-old poultry farmer, who will play St. Peter, sums up the cast's feeling about the historic drama:

"The play is what all of us are living for. Even if I knew I had to die after the performance, I still would be honored to have a part in it."

## Maritimes Trade Feels Pinch Of U.K.'s Doldrums

HALIFAX (CP)—Trade difficulties springing from the United Kingdom's dollar doldrums are probably reflected no more markedly in Canada than in the Maritimes.

Industries which depend wholly or in part on the British market are slowly deflating like a punctured balloon.

On the other hand, Maritime industries that have found their chief markets in the United States, other parts of Canada or in other dollar areas, have been getting along in pretty good shape.

Take an example of the two sides:

In 1936, the north-shore area of New Brunswick and southwestern Nova Scotia launched a pitprop industry. Pitprops are used to shore up the roofs of mines, and Britain bought them all. By 1949, it was an \$8,000,000-yearly business.

This year, the United Kingdom decided it couldn't afford to buy pitprops. Result: The industry has been poleaxed and hundreds are out of work.

On the other side, the coal industry has found most of its markets in Canada. Right now, miners in Cape Breton are digging like mad to keep up with orders.

Canadian shipowners have had a rough go of it. Britain can operate her ships more cheaply, so they carry the cargoes while dozens of freighters lie idle in Canadian ports.

### PULP AND PAPER

Newfoundland's pulp-and-paper industry has also taken a maundering. Most of the newsprint output used to be sold to Britain, but now the paper industry is desperately trying to hunt up new customers in the United States. Lumberjacks have taken

a cut in wages.

## 80th Year of Life Insurance Service to Canadians Completed by Mutual Life of Canada

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### OUTSTANDING LOW NET COST RECORD CONTINUED

President and General Manager Review Company's Progress and National Outlook

Waterloo, Ont., February 2nd.

"Canadians can continue to live in what is probably the fairest country in the world if they retain the beliefs and virtues of their ancestors, but improve their methods as changing conditions dictate," stated Louis L. Lang, President of The Mutual Life of Canada, when addressing the 80th meeting of policyholders today. The pioneers who founded The Mutual Life in 1869, and earlier settlers, were hard-working thrifty men of sterling character, to whom pleading for social security instead of freedom would have sounded strange.

Mr. Lang felt that Canada's problems in 1950 will not differ much from 1949 except in variations in intensity and extent. Her geographical position makes Canada's economic condition and progress dependent to a considerable extent on conditions in the U.S.A.

A gradual reduction in the consolidated national debt is very desirable, and unnecessary public works programs should be deferred for periods of lesser prosperity, he stated.

Speaking specifically of the operations of The Mutual Life, Mr. Lang pointed out that the Company's investment policy had aided in the building of homes, the improvement of cities, towns and villages, and the support of Canadian business enterprises. The Mutual Life continued through its successful operations to take its place with the leaders of this continent in providing low net cost life insurance.

The General Manager, Mr. A. E. Pequegnat, emphasized that the world trend is away from socialism. The average freedom-loving citizen in English-speaking countries is not attracted by a state in which "everybody owns everything and nobody owns anything." He prefers to own all of something rather than a share of everything. There is an increasing recognition in many countries of the undesirability of nationalizing life insurance.

New assurances placed by The Mutual Life in its 80th year reached an all-time peak, slightly over 120 Millions, an increase of more than 15% over the previous year. Mr. Pequegnat also reported a record increase in insurance in force, a decrease in the expense rate and an increase in the rate of interest earned.

Condensations of the addresses delivered by both Mr. Lang and Mr. Pequegnat follow:

Louis L. Lang,  
President

### ADDRESS BY MR. LANG

It is my great pleasure to report that our Company has participated in the economic progress in which this country has prospered, and that it is planned for the next year to continue its exceptionally favorable position.

It might be interesting to refer to some of the early history of the community in which our Head Office is located, and to circumstances which led to the incorporation of our Company in the comparatively small City of Waterloo. The first settler on the land where the City now stands came here in 1806, followed by others who were induced to settle in the British American colonies from the perspective of business, and both our reinvested assets and our new funds have been directed into these channels.

The rate of mortality experienced by the Mutual Life has changed considerably since organization as significant improvements in mortality experience occur, we are able to alter the basis of our dividend distribution and to change the mortality table used for the calculation of premiums for new policies. Six different tables have been used, and three of the changes have occurred in the last twenty-five years.

The original life table used provided for 8.4 deaths per thousand at age 21.

Subsequent tables have provided for 7.7, 7.5, 4.5, 4.3 and 2.4 deaths respectively. The table now being used extensively in the United States provides for 3.6 deaths per thousand at age 30.

The mortality improvement in mortality rates has been most spectacular at the younger ages, but some improvement has occurred at advanced ages as well.

Obsolete mortality tables are gradually being discarded in Canada under the spur of free competition.

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Freight Train Hits Locomotive

Almost completely demolished, this freight car lies against badly wrecked engine at Gananoque Junction, 15 miles east of Kingston, following collision between two C.N.R. freight trains. No one was hurt as one train, backing up, smashed into the locomotive of the

following freight. Crew of the standing train's engine had time to jump off the train before the crash. Firemen managed to put out flames of caboose which caught fire.

## West German People Take More Interest In Religion

BERLIN (AP)—The German is slowly but surely returning to his church.

This is the conclusion reached today by both Roman Catholic and Protestant clerics. They agree, however, that it will be a long time before church attendance can once more reach what the prelates call a satisfactory level.

The church—of any denomination—in postwar Germany, is burdened by debt, saddled with bombed-out edifices, worried by political trends, unable to collect enough revenue.

Nevertheless, there are these bright spots:

1—In Western Germany all churches are crowded. There aren't enough churches to go around. Pastors note a "great increase" in attendance. But figures are hard to compile because church records are in sorry shape—thousands of refugees enter the pews every Sunday without being registered. There are few empty seats.

2—Protestant churches in Berlin took in more new members in 1949 than the number that left, receiving 1,407, while striking 1,398 off the rolls. That is the first time this happened since the war. The Catholics in Berlin and the surrounding Soviet Zone are recorded 969 converts this year against 858 last year, and only 276 in 1935.

### BUSY REBUILDING

With complete freedom of worship, West Germany is rebuilding its churches, and gradually the village chapel and the cathedral of the big city are becoming the Sunday meeting place again.

The problem is far different in the Soviet zone. The Communists frown on church emphasis. The Lutheran church office in Berlin says frankly that church attendance is down to around 10 per cent of the registered "souls." Some of this is due directly to the anti-church propaganda, the main office said.

The Roman Catholic Church, which speaks in Berlin for a diocese that stretches far into the Russian orbit, agrees generally with this view. The office of Konrad Cardinal von Preysing finds solace in a church attendance of 159,000 compared

## Greek Reds Blame Loss On U.S. Aid, Tito Stab In Back

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia (UPI)—

The Free Greek (Communist) news agency said here that

No Catholic literature may be given out; high theological studies are not allowed so that advanced priests must study in Western Germany; all Catholic youth groups are forbidden. The youth in Eastern Germany joins the Communist union only.

### BIG PROPERTY LOSS

Add to those problems the Protestant loss of 25,000,000 reichsmarks in property in Berlin alone through damage,

blocking of 35,000,000 marks in frozen accounts, Catholic losses of just about that much, and the churches' problem is stringent, if not grave.

Both Protestant and Catholic feel the church's future in Western Germany is bright, in

East Germany uncertain, at least.

Bishop Otto Dibelius, of the Evangelical Church, said

young eastern Germans want to study in the west, and this means an eventual drying-up of the source of pastors.

Rev. Walter Adolf, of Catholic diocesan headquarters, said that the Russians are "waging a ruthless cold war against the church," and there is no telling where it will end.

## Get Haul Of Jewels

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Authorities sought today two gunmen who robbed a jewelry salesman's apartment of diamonds valued at \$200,000 retail after one of them had posed as a Western Union messenger to get inside.

Salesman Milton Cohen, 35, said the loot was a recent consignment from his employers, the New York wholesale jewelry firm of H. Hamburger. It was completely insured and had a wholesale value in excess of \$60,000, he said.

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## Vast Numbers In Russia Now Chafe Under Tyranny, Says Returned Writer

NEW YORK (AP)—In Russia today there are "legions of thinking, intelligent people who chafe under the omnipotent police state and long with their whole beings for freedom," reports a trained American observer who recently left the Soviet Union.

With iron discipline. From among the masses, says Stevens:

"... thousands upon thousands of people in all walks of life have at some time sustained some deep personal hurt from the police regime. Each new purge of 'ideological campaign' adds new contingents of malcontents."

"While all open criticism of the regime is effectively prevented and the ears and eyes of the M.V.D. (secret police) are omnipresent, such is human nature that every individual has at least one person he fully trusts, and thus an endless chain extends, even though it lacks organized form."

From his observations in the Soviet capital, Stevens warns:

"It is essential that the west learn to distinguish between the police state and the Soviet people, for if the former are implacable foes, the latter, unless stupidly antagonised, are potential friends and allies, and it is they who eventually will decide their country's destiny."

Only a relatively small number of Russians are members of the Communist Party, which rules

tate toward rebellion," the writer reports.

### SOME WELL FED

The upper "crust"—party officials, factory managers, military leaders and the like—is well fed, well paid, well housed. They live well, if nervously, under the constant vigilance of the secret police, who watch both them and those who would dare approach them.

As far as the peasant is concerned, the Soviet government has evolved techniques of squeezing him far more thoroughly than Czarist landlords did. Save in a few pampered areas, "the peasant has yet to reap most of the benefits enjoyed by the urban intellectual and working class . . ."

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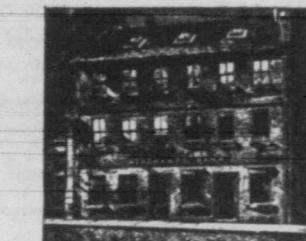


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## VITAL STATISTICS

### Births

ANDERSON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Anderson of 489 Beaupre Street, on Feb. 9, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital.

GILLESPIE—Born at the Toronto Western Hospital on Feb. 7, 1950, to Diana (nee Clark), wife of Alastair William Gillespie, a daughter.

MCGILL—To Dr. and Mrs. A. F. McGill at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Feb. 8, a daughter.

TURNER—Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Turner, of R.R. 1, Royal Oak, B.C., a daughter, on Feb. 9, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital.

### Marriages

CAMPBELL-FRASER  
Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Barker, 1915 Wellington Street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Barbara Jeanne to Peter John Arthur Campbell, R.C.N., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Edmonton, Alta. The double-ring ceremony took place in the church of the First United Church on Friday, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m., with the Rev. Mol Watters officiating.

DAVENPORT-STEVEN  
The marriage is announced of Kathleen and John Steven, 1899 Amulph Street, Victoria, B.C., to Captain Wilfred Davenport, R.C.N., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Davenport, 1915 Wellington Street, Victoria, B.C., which took place on Saturday, Feb. 4, at 1 p.m. in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church with Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating.

### Deaths

EVA M. CARLTON  
On Feb. 9, 1950, in Victoria, Eva M., beloved wife of T. W. Carlton, 1906 Bay Street, Victoria, B.C., a resident of this city since 1909. Besides her husband at home, she leaves a brother, Warren Cox, 1000 Cross, Wis., and two nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held in the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday at 3 p.m. Dr. G. W. Williams officiating. Interment by cremation (no flowers, by request).

### EDMOND HILL

At the Victoria Hospital, on Feb. 9, 1950, Edmund Hill, of 638 Monterey Avenue, husband of Elizabeth Hill, in his 86th year. The Rev. Dr. John G. Smith, a resident of Victoria and district for the past 13 years, leaves to mourn his passing, besides his wife, Elizabeth, two daughters, Mrs. Mabel Campbell and Mrs. Florence Fitzpatrick of Vulcan, Alta., and son, Archie Hill, in Portland, Ore., and a son and daughter of Colgate, his grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren, two sisters in England, one brother, John Hill, in Victoria. The late Mr. Hill was a veteran of the First World War.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Feb. 11, 1950, at 2 in McCallum's Chapel, 1915 Wellington Street, Victoria, B.C., Rev. Dr. G. W. Williams officiating. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

REV. FATHER W. G. SMITH  
On Feb. 9, 1950, in Victoria, B.C. Rev. Father W. G. Smith, of Port Alberni, B.C., in his 80th year, died. He had come to St. Andrew's Cathedral, Victoria, in 1928, and for the past 20 years had been the Vicar of St. Andrew's Church, Port Alberni. Rev. Father Smith had sailed the English College, Lisbon, Portugal, was ordained April 4, 1908, and for 20 years did parochial work in London, Eng.

Portuguese Requiem Mass will be sung by the Most Rev. Dr. W. H. Doherty, of Victoria, on Saturday at 8:45 a.m. in St. Andrew's Cathedral, after which the remains will be taken to the church of the Holy Family, where the funeral Mass will be sung in the Catholic Cemetery, Haywards B.C. Funeral Co. Ltd., directors.

### Card of Thanks

Mrs. J. Reeny and daughter Germaine wish to thank the Sister Superior and sisters of St. Joseph's Hospital, Victoria, B.C., for their kind sympathy and beautiful floral tributes and kind expressions of sympathy in the recent loss of their son, John Reeny. The Reenys thank the V.A.T.S., 1203 299 Winnipeg and 168 Victoria, and F.O.E. No. 12 (Winnipeg) papers, please copy.)

### In Memoriam

FOSTER—In loving memory of Earl (Pud) Foster, who was killed on a ferry flight in Libya, Feb. 10, 1943.

He flew west to his native shore. His wife to the east. His happy smile we see no more. But ever in our hearts we will remember.

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THISTLES—old-time dance, Friday, Feb. 10, 8 p.m. at the Royal Jubilee Hall, 10 o'clock. Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas St. 3-34.

CRIBBAGE and whist every Friday at 8 p.m. at the Royal Jubilee Hall, Douglas St. 3-34.

COURT whist, Feb. 13, 8 p.m., C.C.P. Club, Douglas Street. Proceeds Oak Park Refreshments, prizes. Admission 50¢.

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COLWOOD Parent-Teachers' Association will hold a Valentine dance in the Community Hall, Friday, Feb. 10, at 8 o'clock. Free admission. Admission 50¢.

ATTENTION—old-time dances starting again at Fraser Street Hall, Feb. 11 and 12. Friday and Saturday, 8 p.m. to 10 o'clock. Free admission. 50¢.

ST. VALENTINE Dance Friday, Feb. 10, at Morrison's Pavilion, Berta Zala's Orchestra, Cordova Bay Community Club, 9-1, 75¢.

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A comfortable stucco semi-bungalow home in one of the better locations in Oak Bay. This Oil-O-Matic hot-water heated home has a nice living room, kitchen, fireplace, dining-room, cabinet kitchen, four-piece bathroom, two bedrooms, down-concealed staircase, two bedrooms, full basement, garage, drive-in garage. Full price \$12,600

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Attractive four-room stucco bungalow. Living room with fireplace, two bedrooms, three-piece Pembroke bath, kitchen with dining space. Nice driveway. Attached garage. \$5000

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This two-story home is well located within easy walking distance to town. Well furnished with chestnut suite, beds, etc. and ready to walk into. Large living room, dining room, stairs has been rented for \$50 per month. Double plumbing and full cement basement. Excep- \$7350

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This five-room, one-year-old stucco bungalow with two extra rooms in total, offers a large living room with fireplace. Through hall. Two nice bedrooms. Pembroke bathroom. All rooms carpeted. Large Drive-in garage and two extra properly finished rooms. Furnace to all rooms. Insulated. Lot landscaped. Good value at the full price of \$8950

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White siding and only 4½ years old. This home features—oak floors, cabinet kitchen, Pembroke bathroom, beautiful basement and pipe furnace. Asking \$6300. Nice bedrooms and can do a little painting.

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Consumers in British Columbia are eating Kilties Valley potatoes.

Maurice Balcom, a grower and shipper, said today his firm has shipped 400,000 pounds of local potatoes to Vancouver, B.C. In the last three weeks. If the sales continue they could easily equal the million pounds of Canadian potatoes unloaded this week at New Orleans.

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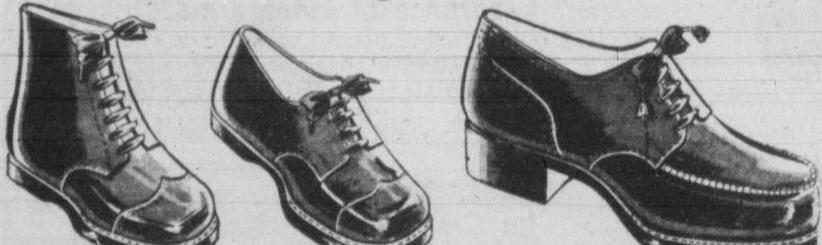
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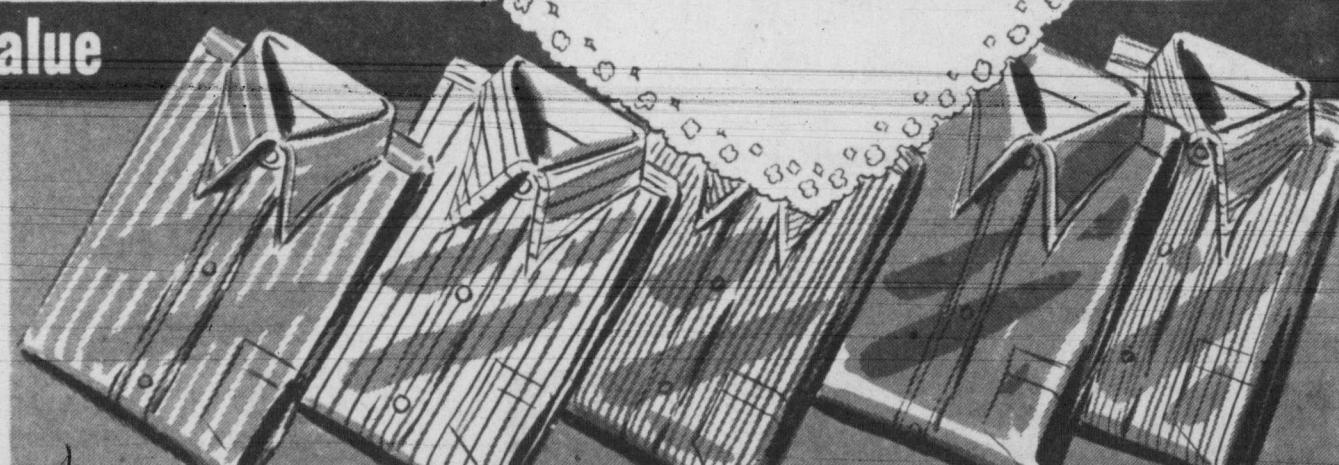
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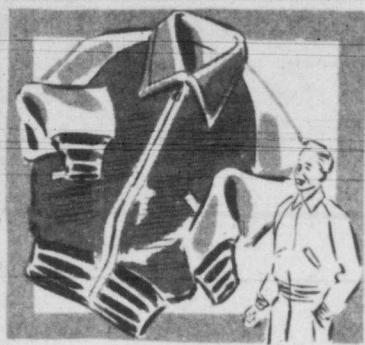
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FOUR STAR FINAL

Naval Squadron From Esquimalt To Sail South

Three Canadian Navy ships will make a month-long 5,000-mile training cruise to Mexican and California ports next month, it was announced today.

The ships—the cruiser Ontario and the destroyers Sioux and Cayuga—will sail from Esquimalt, March 2.

While they are cruising down the west coast, two other ships, the aircraft carrier Magnificent and the destroyer Micmac, will be in the Caribbean on manoeuvres with Dutch, British and United States ships.

The Pacific Coast Squadron will be commanded by Capt. Hugh F. Pullen of Oakville, Ont., commander of the Ontario.

It will be the first cruise since the Sioux became the navy's guinea pig ship and was fitted out with bunks for the crew in place of the traditional hammocks. Sioux is commanded by Cmdr. David W. Groos of Victoria and Cayuga, by Capt. Morton A. Medland of Toronto and Victoria.

The ships will arrive at San Diego, Calif., for a one-day fuel stop March 6 then proceed to Magdalena Bay, Mexico, where they will carry on boat-work, seamanship and general training for a week.

The squadron puts into Manzanillo, Mexico, March 18 to refuel and will stage a night exercise after leaving Manzanillo. They will arrive in Long Beach, Calif., for a three-day stay March 27 and are due to arrive back at Esquimalt April 3.

Today's Final Prices On Vancouver Market

(By Hager Investments Ltd.)

Commodity	Price	Change
Acetate	125	125
Acetate, Canadian	125	125
A.P. Com.	125	125
Atlantic	140	140
B.C. (1925)	700	725
C. and E. Corp.	45%	50
Calmoni	116	118
Comini	32	32
Continental Oil	116	118
East Leduc	32	32
Foothills	32	32
General Pet.	187	187
Do. A.	60	61%
Globe Oil	60	61%
Do. B.	14	14
Highwood Sarsce	61%	61%
Macmillan	116	118
McDonald Segur	116	118
Mercury	10	10
National Pet.	20	20
Okalla	186	190
Royal Canadian	34%	38%
Princess	17	17
Spencer	14	14
Superior	41%	42%
Vanilla	25	28
Western	21	21
Barrel Com.	3%	3%
Base Metal	26	26
Brasile	220	220
Bridg. River Com.	6	6
Caron	8	8
Caribou Gold	125	125
Congress Gold	24	24
Gold	32	32
Inter. C. and C.	24	24
Ind. Mountain	118	118
Ind. Nickel	30	32
Ind. Nickel	12%	18
Ind. Nickel	5	5
Ind. Nickel	560	560
Ind. Nickel	245	250
Pioneer Gold	34%	35%
Premier Border	3%	3%
Prest	6	6
Quatino Copper	6	6
Raven Gold	200	210
Reno Gold	4	4
Sheep Creek	113	120
Shill. Nickel	3	3
Silver Standard	46	47
Tata River	12	12
Thur.	5%	5%
Vananda	1	1
Wellington	3	3%
INDUSTRIALS		
B.C. Forest Products	2%	3%
B.C. Turf	60	60
Coast Services	30	30
Brick Mills	100	100
Do. B.	675	—
Do. B. Macmillan A.	600	—
Pacific Corp.	82	80
Power Corp.	1800	1800
Sun Publishing	400	400
Westminster Paper A.	220	200
Do. B.	275	275

Weather Forecast

Cloudy tonight and Saturday with widely-scattered showers ending tomorrow morning. Little change in temperature. Light winds increasing to southwest 20 Saturday afternoon.

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